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A DAY OF INACTIVITY

Little Change in the Republican Camp at St. Louis.

NO BREAK IN THE WAR ON M'KINLEY

Ohio Man's Managers Now Shouting Finance—The Talk of a New York Bolt — Platt Issues an Appeal for Morton.

St. Louis, June 13.—Inertia has marked the past twenty-four hours in the republican camp. Even the arrival of Senator Quay to reinforce the presence of ex-Senator Platt failed to galvanize the anti-McKinley movement back to any semblance of vigorous life. The corridors around the room where the national committee is going through its monotonous routine of deciding preliminary contests is never uncomfortably thronged at any period. What the decisions of the committee would be appeared to be taken for granted in a majority of cases. Some eccentric departures in the Louisiana contested cases from the ordinary course of rulings scarcely served to give zest to otherwise tasteless proceeding. When the New York contests are reached today or Monday, interest may revive. Some of Mr. Platt's intimates continue to make veiled threats of bolting if the New York contests are decided on the same principles that are alleged to have controlled the committee in other cases, but Mr. Platt himself has carefully avoided committing himself to such a course.

Arrival of Senator Quay.

The arrival of Senator Quay of Pennsylvania last evening stirred into activity the somewhat languid political gossip. The senator was accompanied by his son, Richard Quay. A number of newspaper men called at his apartments at the Southern hotel. Beyond announcing that he was in the fight to stay and that his name would be presented by Gen. Hastings, Mr. Quay declined to be interviewed. He expressed entire ignorance as to what kind of a platform the convention was likely to adopt. He also declined to say whether it was his purpose as had been stated by some of the Pennsylvania delegation to transfer the vote of his state from himself to McKinley when Pennsylvania was called on the rolls. Generally he manifested to his newspaper callers a much greater desire to receive than to give news.

McKinleyites Now Shouting Finance.

Late last night some very decided indications were given as to the course which the McKinley men would probably take on the financial question. Hitherto the Platt men have been shouting "sound money" and the McKinley men have shouted "tariff," and neither side has manifested any disposition to adopt the war cry of the other. Now all this is changed, and the McKinley men are shouting finance. A suggested platform, drafted by Mr. Kohlsaat of Chicago, was submitted to Mr. Hanna and other close friends of Major McKinley, and was taken under consideration. This proposed plank, while following in the lines of the Indiana platform, goes one important step further, and specially declares for the "gold standard." At the same time, however, that this proposition was submitted the suggestion was made that if this platform was adopted by the committee on resolutions, it should be with the distinct understanding that when it was reported to the convention by the committee on resolutions, the chairman should entertain a motion to strike out the words "gold standard," the plank to be so framed that this could be done without interfering with the context or the sense. Such a motion being entertained, the proposition would be subject to debate and could be finally settled by the convention on a test vote. It is understood to be Mr. Hanna's judgment that the words "gold standard" ought not to appear in the platform.

Platt Appeals for Morton and Gold.

Ex-Senator Platt has issued over his signature the following statement: Gov. Morton will be placed in nomination and could, if supported by his friends, Speaker Reed and Senator Allison will also receive the votes of their supporters, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding. I am hopeful that the convention will recognize the wisdom of making Gov. Morton the presidential candidate and declaring for a good standard. He is essentially a gold standard bearer as his record demonstrates. From a cursory observation during my brief stay here, I am sanguine that a majority of the delegates favor the continuance of the existing financial system, as interpreted by republican administrations. The New York delegation will certainly do all in its power to put a gold plank in the platform, for New York is for gold." Senator Allison's friends, who have hitherto remained so silent that the impression gained ground that he had been withdrawn from the race, are now assuming an aggressive attitude and assert that he will be supported by vigorous oratory and many votes, when the convention proceeds to nominations.

SPEAKER REED SILENT.

Has Nothing Further To Say Regarding Manley's Celebrated Statement.

Washington, June 13.—Speaker Reed is today at the Shoreman in constant telegraphic communication with friends and managers at St. Louis. He had no further comments to make respecting Mr. Manley's celebrated statement of Wednesday evening. It was learned that Mr. Manley's statement of Thursday night was prepared in response to Mr. Reed's telegram of inquiry as to the meaning and cause of his original statement, which caused such a sensation. Friends of the speaker in St. Louis wired him that they believed Mr. Manley became panic stricken at the demonstration made by the partisans of McKinley at the first meeting of the national committee and Mr. Manley's regret over his action satisfied them that he "did not mean it." The assertion made by Messrs. Manley and Murray Crane, the latter of Massachusetts, at St. Louis, that the speaker would not under any condition accept the nomination for vice-president, was reiterated by his friends in Washington, so that there need be no misunderstanding on that point. The action of the national committee in throwing out Reed delegates, especially those from Louisiana, was commented on with much bitterness by his friends. Speaker Reed will not go home until after the convention adjourns, but he may go to New York on a business trip, which has been pressing for some days.

Maine Delegates Enroute.

Portland, Me., June 13.—The Maine delegates to St. Louis left on a special train yesterday afternoon via the White mountains. The cars were decorated with flags and banners. One thousand people who had gathered on the platform cheered as the train started and there were shouts of "Stick to your candidate." The enthusiasm manifested for Speaker Reed was great. There are sixty-eight in the party, including Gov. Cleaves, ex-Gov. Burleigh and Hon. Llewellyn Powers, candidate for governor.

Massachusetts Delegation.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., June 13.—The Massachusetts delegation to the St. Louis convention, which left Boston by special train last evening, will make a stop of five hours here to-day. The train is due to arrive in St. Louis tomorrow morning at 10:30. With the exception of W. Murray Crane of Dalton the entire delegation is traveling on this train. He has been in St. Louis for several days.

Gov. Hastings Off for St. Louis.

Philadelphia, June 13.—Gov. Hastings, who will nominate Senator Quay for president of the United States at the St. Louis convention, left Harrisburg yesterday with a party of friends for St. Louis. A special train left here at 10 o'clock last evening over the Pennsylvania railroad with the Pennsylvania delegates and alternates.

Free Silver Candidate Against Grosvenor

Columbus, O., June 13.—The free silver democrats captured the democratic congressional convention of the 11th district, held at Athens yesterday, and nominated a free silver man, William E. Finck of New Lexington, for congress against C. H. Grosvenor.

Hepburn Renominated.

Des Moines, Ia., June 13.—The eighth district republican convention at Leon yesterday renominated W. P. Hepburn for congress by acclamation.

THE CUBAN INSURRECTION.

Dr. Delgado's Case To Be Presented to the State Department.

Washington, June 13.—Dr. Delgado and his son have arrived in Washington and are arranging to pay a visit to Secretary Olney to lay before him in person their grievances against the Spanish authorities in Cuba. They were prevented from doing this yesterday because the cabinet meeting consumed much of the secretary's time. The elder Delgado is in precarious health as a result of the severe wounds inflicted upon him by the Spanish soldiery and so has been compelled to deny himself to all callers.

City Electric Light Plant Enjoined.

Bridgeport, Conn., June 13.—Counsel for the South Norwalk Electric Light company appeared before Judge Hall in the superior court yesterday and asked that an injunction be granted restraining the city of South Norwalk from operating an electric light plant there for public uses. Judge Hall granted the petition without leaving the bench.

Fly Fishing in Maine.

Rangeley, Me., June 13.—There was a hearing yesterday before the state commissioners of inland fish and game on a petition closing the south stream of Rangeley lake and the pool between Upper and Lodge ponds to everything but fly fishing. No opposition was offered and the petition was granted.

Charged with Murder on the High Sea.

New York, June 13.—Martin Aikano, mate of the ship Tacoma, was on board the steamer Campania, which arrived last evening, in charge of a deputy marshal. He is charged with causing George Mosher, second mate of the Tacoma, while on a voyage from San Francisco to Liverpool.

OUR NEW WARSHIPS

Secretary Herbert Approves the Investigating Board's Report.

VARIOUS CHANGES RECOMMENDED

Believed That the Vessels Outlined by the Committee Will Be an Improvement Upon Any Yet Built in the United States.

Washington, June 13.—The report of the board on batteries of battleships, of which Admiral Walker is president, has been handed to the secretary of the navy. The report shows that the board considered with much care and in great detail the whole subject of battleships; that it visited Cramps' shipyard for the purpose of comparing the Massachusetts and the Iowa; that it made a careful inspection of the Indiana during her passage from Hampton roads to New York, conducting firing experiments enroute; that it also made several visits to Indian Head for the purpose of witnessing the firing, under different circumstances, against armor plates, including a model turret of the Massachusetts. As a result of its investigations the board recommends a slightly different ship, with a somewhat different arrangement of battery from any heretofore built.

Some of the Recommendations.

While speaking very favorably of the superimposed or double-decked turret, as designed for the Kearsarge and the Kentucky, the board does not recommend installing more turrets of this description until experiments with the two ships named have demonstrated their utility. The hull of the ship recommended is that of the Kearsarge and Kentucky, but so modified as to be similar in many respects to the Iowa. The main battery recommended is composed of four 13-inch and fourteen 6-inch guns, so arranged as to fire two 13-inch and four 6-inch guns directly ahead, two 13-inch and two 6-inch directly astern and four 13-inch and seven 6-inch in broadside. The board also recommends that the normal draft upon which the ship's speed is based should be the fighting draft or the draft of the ship with at least two-thirds of her moveable weights on board. It also recommends various minor changes in quarters and internal arrangements of the ship in the interest of the health and comfort of the enlisted men. It is believed by the department that the ship outlined by the committee as above will be an improvement upon any yet built in this country.

Approved by Secretary of the Navy.

The secretary of the navy, after consulting with the chiefs of the bureaus of ordnance, construction and repair, and steam engineering, has approved the general features of the report of the board and directed that the plans be taken up without delay. The contracts for all the vessels authorized in the new law, battleships and torpedo boats included, will be made within the time prescribed in that act. The secretary has already decided upon all the preliminary steps.

JERSEY FOREST FIRES.

People Around Toms River Again Fighting To Save Their Homes.

Toms River, N. J., June 13.—The inhabitants of Lanoka and Bayville, aided by a number of employes of the Central railroad, are still fighting for their homes against forest fires. The variable winds that prevailed yesterday drove the fire in all directions, turning back the fires, which were set to stop the progress of the flames into sources of danger. Many farm houses are threatened.

To Investigate Condition of Seals.

Washington, June 13.—The president, under the recent act of congress, which directs the "conduct of a scientific investigation of the present condition of fur seal herds on the Pribyloff islands," for which it appropriates $75,000, has appointed David S. Jordan, president of the Leland Stanford university, California, to do the work, and detailed Lieut.-Commander Jefferson F. Moser, Leonard Stejneger, F. A. Lucas and Charles H. Townsend to assist him.

American Ministers at Plymouth.

Plymouth, June 13.—The American Congregational ministers, who arrived here Thursday from New York on the Hamburg-American line steamer Columbia, will today make further visits to places connected with the Pilgrim Fathers, including the place from which the Mayflower sailed. The visitors were received last evening by Alderman Wilkinson and the mayor of Plymouth.

Receiver's Accounting Accepted.

Bridgeport, Conn., June 13.—Attorney H. A. Purdy, receiver for the Jeffersonian Publishing company of Danbury, presented his final accounting to Judge Hall in the superior court here yesterday. It was accepted and an order granted dissolving the corporation and winding up its affairs. The corporation published the Danbury Evening Star.

BARATIERI IS FREE

Not Responsible for the Crushing Defeat in Abyssinia.

VERDICT OF ITALIAN COURT-MARTIAL

Prosecution Demanded That He Be Confined in a Fortress for Ten Years with the Attendant Penalties.

Massowah, June 13.—The advocate-general, in closing his address for the prosecution yesterday afternoon at the trial by court martial of Gen. Baratieri, the Italian commander who was defeated by the Abyssinians at Adowa on March 1, with the loss of about 12,500 men killed and wounded, demanded that the general be sentenced to ten years' confinement in a fortress, with the attendant penalties. The judges then retired and after only a short deliberation returned a verdict that the accused was not guilty of the charges preferred against him.

Gen. Baratieri was formerly governor of Erythrea and commander of the Italian forces employed in the campaign against the Abyssinians. He was in personal command of the army when in March last the Abyssinians inflicted a crushing defeat on the Italians. He was being tried by a court-martial for crimes coming under the provisions of articles 74 and 88 of the military penal code, of having on March 1 last attacked the Abyssinians from inexcusable motives under circumstances rendering defeat inevitable, and of having abandoned the chief command of the troops from half-past 12 on March 1 until 9 o'clock on March 3, thereby failing to give the orders required for lessening the consequences of the defeat.

NEW ENGLAND FRIENDS.

Statistical Reports Read at the Yearly Meeting of the Society.

Newport, R. I., June 13.—At the New England yearly meeting of the Society of Friends yesterday 104 representatives from the nine quarterly meetings answered to their names; 32 were absent. Certificates of visiting ministers were read, including, in addition to those previously presented, others from the New York and Ohio yearly meetings. A request from the Fairfield quarterly meeting, asking consideration of the subject of modifying the privileges of birthright members, was referred to the representatives. The statistical reports showed 124 ministers, 234 elders, 48 births, 69 deaths, and 237 admitted; 94 released. Total membership, 4,502, a gain of 115 from last year; 916 children, 517 attending school and 86 in schools taught or controlled by Friends.

TRIVIAL AND EVASIVE.

Postmaster-General So Characterizes Seaboard Air Line Statement.

Washington, June 13.—Postmaster-General Wilson when shown the answer of Captain McBee, general superintendent of the Seaboard Air line, to the charges against that road of padding the mails, gave out the following: "The so-called defense of the superintendent of the Seaboard Air line is trivial and evasive. He will have an opportunity to meet the real charges in criminal proceedings which the department has requested the department of justice to institute. It is not true that any other lines have been found out or suspected of attempting to pad the mails by the department. If he has any information to that effect the department would be glad to get it, so that all may be prosecuted."

Drank Wood Alcohol.

Providence, June 13.—Frank Maloy is at the Rhode Island hospital hopelessly blind in both eyes. Another man whose name is withheld is dead and still another is ill from the effects of drinking wood alcohol. The men were all employed at the American Electrical works at Philipsdale. The alcohol is kept at the works for the purpose of cleaning the belting.

Gentry's Trial Again Postponed.

Pleasantdale, June 13.—Owing to the engagement of Charles W. Brooke, senior counsel for James B. Gentry, in New York, the trial of Gentry for the murder of Margaret W. Leyendecker, the young actress, whose stage name was Minnie Yorke, which had been fixed for next Monday, has been postponed until the 22d inst.

Western Desperado Killed.

Fort Scott, Kan., June 13.—Bill West, a noted Indian Territory desperado and a favorite of United States marshal Nathaniel Crosby, who recently escaped from the county jail at Topeka, was killed Thursday night, by Thomas Harris, while resisting arrest.

To Sell a Silver Mine.

Hartford, June 13.—Judge Thayer, of the superior court, has authorized the receivers of the Charter Oak Life insurance company to sell the Monoliver mine in Utah near Salt Lake city. This mine cost the company over $100,000, but it is believed will realize only a nominal sum.

EX-JUDGE MAYNARD'S DEATH.

Passed Away While Sitting in His Room in His Albany Hotel.

Albany, June 13.—Ex-judge Isaac H. Maynard, senior member of the law firm of Maynard, Gilbert & Cone, and former judge of the court of appeals, died suddenly in his room at the Kenmore hotel in this city yesterday afternoon from heart trouble. He was alone in his room and was sitting in a chair at the time of his death. He had just finished his luncheon and was apparently in the best of health, except that he had been undergoing treatment lately for indigestion. Judge Maynard leaves a wife and daughter who have been living at the family home at Delhi. Judge Gilbert of Judge Maynard's firm arrived here last night and took charge of the remains, which will be taken to-day to Delhi. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon.

Judge Maynard was born April 9, 1838, at Bovina, N. Y. His earlier years were passed on a farm. He graduated with honor from Amherst in 1862. In September, 1862, he entered the law office of the late Hon. William Murray at Delhi, and was admitted to the bar at Binghamton in November, 1863. He practiced law at Delhi until June, 1865. He removed to Stamford and formed a law partnership with Hon. F. H. Gilbert, which continued until January, 1878. On June 28, 1871, he married Miss Margaret Maurine of Delhi, N. Y. In 1875 he was elected a member of assembly from Delaware county. He served until 1877, when he was elected county judge and surrogate of Delaware county, serving in that capacity until 1884. In 1883 he was a candidate on the democratic ticket for secretary of state, but was defeated. On Jan. 1, 1884, he was appointed first deputy attorney-general and held the office until June 1, when he resigned to accept the office of second comptroller of the United States. On April 1, 1887, he was appointed assistant secretary of the treasury. He resigned the position on the inauguration of President Harrison in 1889. Gov. Hill appointed Judge Maynard one of the commissioners to revise the general laws of the state on May 22, 1889. On Jan. 1, 1892, he was again appointed first deputy attorney-general, and on the 19th of the same month he was appointed by Gov. Flower an associate judge of the court of appeals. This was to fill out an unexpired term. He was nominated by the democratic convention in 1893 to succeed himself, but was defeated by the present Judge Bartlett. Since that election he has been practicing law in Albany.

Work on the Puritan Resumed.

Washington, June 13.—Secretary Herbert has directed that work on the monitor Puritan at the Brooklyn navy yard, which was suspended on account of a controversy between Commander Sperry, in charge of ordnance work, and Constructor Bowles, shall be resumed immediately. The findings of the court of inquiry, which sought to ascertain the facts in the controversy, have not been made public, but it is understood that the court recommends that no further proceedings be taken.

Declines To Serve as Delegate.

Baltimore, June 13.—C. C. Homer, who was elected one of the delegates-at-large to the democratic national convention at the democratic state convention Wednesday, has telegraphed to Senator Gorman declining the honor. Mr. Homer declined to give his reasons for his action, simply saying that they were good and sufficient.

Placed on Retired List.

Washington, June 13.—Capt. Allen V. Reed, U. S. N., whose examination for promotion to the rank of commodore resulted in a recommendation against his advancement, was placed on the retired list yesterday.

The Released Reformers.

Pretoria, June 13.—The reformers have paid their fines and have gone to the land. Col. Francis Rhodes declined to sign the conditions required and the sentence of banishment will be enforced against him.

National League Games Yesterday.

At Baltimore—Chicago, 1; Baltimore, 3. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 9; Louisville, 5. At Washington—Washington, 1; St. Louis, 6. At New York—Pittsburg, 6; New York, 3. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 4; Cleveland, 3. At Boston—Boston, 15; Cincinnati, 3.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Per C.		W.	L.	Per C.
Baltimore	28	10	.737	Pittsburg	22	21	.512
Cleveland	26	15	.634	Brooklyn	21	22	.488
Philadelphia	25	19	.568	Chicago	18	24	.429
Boston	24	18	.571	New York	20	26	.435
Cincinnati	27	20	.574	St. Louis	14	31	.311
Washington	23	21	.523	Louisville	9	35	.205

Minor League Games.

Toronto, 11; Wilkesbarre, 6. Buffalo, 15; Scranton, 2. Hartford, 14; New Haven, 7. Providence, 3; Rochester, 6. Worcester, 6; Providence, 1 (2d game). Wilmington, 12; Metropolitans, 10. Paterson, 3; Newark, 5. Springfield, 9; Syracuse, 6. Springfield, 8; Syracuse, 4 (2d game).

College Games.

Amherst, 5; Dartmouth, 2.

DELAWARE CONTEST

Bitter and Exciting Fight Before the National Committee.

ADDICKS IS SCATHINGLY DENOUNCED

At One Time Personal Encounters Seemed To Be Unavoidable—Convention Must Decide the Dispute—Trouble Expected over New York.

Headquarters the United Press, Southern Hotel, St. Louis, June 13.—"I would not vote for J. Edward Addicks if his vote were needed to make the next president of the United States." This declaration, uttered by Senator Thurston of Nebraska, at 10:30 o'clock last night as he stood in the center of his fellow national committeemen, with uplifted arm and closed fist, was the climax of one of the most sensational scenes ever witnessed in a meeting of a similar body on the eve of a national convention. For two hours previous the committee had been listening to the presentation of the cases of the rival delegation from the state of Delaware. That headed by ex-Senator Higgins, claimed to be the regular delegation, and was instructed for McKinley, while the six entered upon Secretary Manley's records as contestants were headed by J. Edward Addicks, and Senator Quay was given by one of the number as their preference for the presidential nomination. Personalities were freely exchanged in the presentation of the respective cases between ex-Senator Higgins, state charman Caleb R. Layton and Mr. Addicks himself, but it was not until the parties in interest had retired that the storm broke forth. Then Senator Thurston, first gaining the floor, commenced an impassioned speech. He reviewed the evidence elicited in the Dupont controversy before the United States senate, and declared that it exposed a state of affairs unprecedented in the history of any state republican party in the country.

Denounced as a Traitor.

Addicks, he said, had been proven a traitor to the cause of republicanism. When that party had forty-four senators in the capitol at Washington and but one more was needed to give it the majority of votes over the populist-democratic element, it was Addicks, who by the aid of a democratic governor, brought about a deadlock and prevented Delaware from receiving its proper representation in the senate of the United States. "Talk to me of honor and decency in politics," said the senator, "I tell you here and now that I would not vote for J. Edward Addicks if his vote were needed to make the next president of the United States, and if the necessity demands, I will repeat that statement on the floor of the national convention." The remarks caused both surprise and applause.

Addicks Replies.

When the rival delegations headed respectively by Higgins and Addicks were ushered into the committee room, the excitement was intense. Without preliminary, ex-Senator Higgins plunged into the case in behalf of himself and his associates. Mr. Addicks sat close beside him and at times it looked as though the two men might come into personal collision, especially as Mr. Higgins denounced Addicks as the principal of a conspiracy against law and honor, and as a man who regarded neither. Mr. Higgins was followed by Washington Hastings, who was equally emphatic. Turning to Addicks, who sat with a sarcastic smile on his face, he shook his finger under his nose and ejaculated: "This man is governed by a base and selfish ambition. I say it to his face as I have said it before. His name is Addicks. Little as he understands the language of gentlemen, he doubtless understands what I say." Addicks made no response.

Trouble Expected from New York.

It is expected that the committee will take up the New York contests today, or Monday, and another interesting session is expected, as both sides will put up a strong fight and disclosures of inside methods have been promised.

The principal address of the other side was made by Caleb R. Taylor, chairman of the convention which nominated Addicks' delegation, who entered a protest against the washing of the credentials of the Delaware republicans by the committee. He also made a bitter attack upon the motives of ex-senator Higgins, whose political fences, he said, had been broken by Addicks. Then Mr. Addicks made a brief address on his own behalf. He claimed that he had been elected by the people of Delaware and had destroyed the worst ring that the republican party had ever known. Mr. Addicks also replied. He alluded to Addicks as "that creature," and said that his speech showed him to be the "cowed boy" that every one in Delaware knew he was. It was finally decided to refer the contest to the national convention for settlement.

Addicks Bitterly Arraigned.

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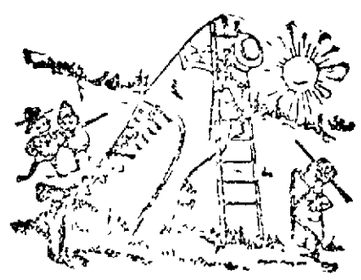

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THE MILL SPRITE.

BY CHARLES M. HARGER.

The great stone flouring mills of the northwestern wheat region have little about them to remind one of the modest structures that clatteringly turn into flour the farmers' grain in the country districts farther east. There are no farmers driving up to the door and unloading dusty sacks of yellow wheat while they chat with the miller. Whole freight trains instead, puff their noisy way under the massive archways into the building and car after car is emptied in a twinkling, each one discharging its load through a trap-door in its floor. Then the cars, having been almost as quickly loaded with flour as they were emptied of grain, are pushed on through another great stone archway, and go forth to carry the product to eastern markets.

In the Perkton mill there was generally one onlooker as the trains unloaded who took no part in the work. Annie, the little crippled daughter of the janitor, limped up and down the platform, in and out of the mill, as well as her lameness would allow. Brakemen, engineers and shippers all had a pleasant word for her. "The mill-sprite," one engineer of a poetic turn of mind had called her; and she went by that name, even among those who did not know what the phrase meant.

About midsummer a new superintendent, Mr. Griswold, came to the mill.

"Aren't you afraid of being caught in the machinery?" he asked one hot evening, when he found Annie perched on a wide beam watching the wheat flow downward like a golden river.

"No; I've always lived in the mill, and go everywhere," she answered.

"Night and day, too?"

"Yes, it's prettier at night," she answered, simply; and the superintendent, whose heart sometimes swelled with admiration when the great structure was lighted with electricity, agreed with her.

He stopped a moment to watch the swinging lever which, at a pull from an assistant's hand, pushed back the heavy cover to the deep bin, and allowed a carload of new wheat, fresh from the prairies, to flow like a torrent into the receptacle.

"'Twould be death to be under that shower," Mr. Griswold said, half to himself, and passed on.

A few evenings afterward, when she was left alone by her father in the janitor's nest-like quarters in the front of the mill, Annie's thoughts called up this remark of the superintendent about the stream of wheat. Just then she heard a low, rumbling sound in the distance. Another train of wheat was coming. It would be unloaded in the night. She started for the door to see it roll past, and glide out along a dark wall toward the tracks.

Just before she came to a corner she heard low voices from around the turn. Two men were whispering hoarsely.

"The last night of the month always brings it, you know," one said.

"Yes, but how can we get at? Th' watch will be on."

"That's all right. I've been studying the thing, an' the superintendent is here alone to-night. The office men are sick."

The roar of the train was coming nearer, and the men raised their voices.

"He may show fight an' ring in an alarm," said the second speaker.

"No danger," was the reply. It came so sharply that it seemed to be hissed in the other's ear. "It won't take more than a minute to settle him. We'll jest wait till th' train is in, an'—"

"Whir! whizz! came the noisy freight. The engine threw out millions of sparks as it tugged up the incline, and all sounds but its roar were drowned. Nothing was distinguishable until the long line of laden cars had disappeared beneath the black arch in the wing of the mill, and then Annie heard again:

"Don't get scared now—it'll work all right." Then the voices ceased.

Presently she peeped anxiously around the corner. Nothing was visible now but the silent, dark walls, with gleams of light coming through the scores of windows.

These men were going to rob Mr. Griswold! She must go and warn him. But whatever they meant to do, it would happen "when the train was in." And already it had come to a standstill on the dump platform.

Annie seized her bonnet, to protect her brown hair from the flying flour, and not daring to go outside and attempt to climb the long railway trestle in the darkness, turned through a small door into the depths of the mill and started for the superintendent's office.

Mr. Griswold was not there. The doors of the safe in which the money was kept were closed, and she reflected that the small night force was probably assisting in the unusual task of unloading the train at that hour.

Out of the office she hurried, and taking the upper floor because she knew its windings better, and there were fewer bolts and shafts, she turned in the direction of the great bins. Another roar told of a second car's disposal, and she caught her breath a little as she trembled lest she should be too late.

At last she turned a corner in the crowded path she was following, and wheat burst. A line of beams led toward the gleaming electric light at the farther end, and to the right vast gaping pores reached into the darkness far below. Above, the locomotive's tug-mates, as it pulled the loaded cars into place for the next "dump," could be heard above the rumble of the mill's machinery.

Annie hurried along the narrow pathway—the very one on which she had met Mr. Griswold when he spoke to her about the consequences of being caught under the shower of wheat. Below, some 20 feet, was another line of planks leading past the bins, into which, level with the planks, doors opened. These were for convenience in inspecting the condition of the grain.

On this platform, [illegible] peered into the vast bin at his side, was the superintendent. She recognized his light gray coat and russet shoes. She pushed on, intending when she had come him to call and warn him of possible danger. The rope with which he had moved the lever to loosen the contents of the last car hung at his side, and was still swinging from his touch. He was evidently scenting the grain for a suspicion of moldiness.

Suddenly, before she was within hailing distance, though she was not far from a position directly above the superintendent, she saw a black form shoot out from behind a heavy upright timber directly behind him. The stranger sneaked toward the door of the bin, into which part of his intended victim's body still protruded.

The lame girl's heart almost stood still with fright. She sank to the narrow platform, and crouching there in the upper darkness, watched helplessly the struggle going on below.

The stranger had leaped upon the superintendent, and was attempting to throw him into the bin; but Mr. Griswold fought bravely for his life. Once, twice he was almost a victor, but his assailant had him at a disadvantage. Already his head and shoulders were hanging over the dark abyss into which a carload of yellow wheat had sunk and made no impression on the great space.

Chunk! came a sound above her head. Annie realized with a shudder that another car had been brought into position over the trap-door, and was ready to be dumped.

The stranger below had almost overcome the superintendent, and she saw the scoundrel glance sidewise toward the rope which moved the lever.

Like a flash there came upon her for the first time a realization what a terrible deed was intended. The body of the superintendent, hurled into the bin, would be covered with the flood of grain, and his fate would be unknown for days, and perhaps for weeks and months.

It was but a second now before the end would come. Already the assailant had pushed off the superintendent's hands, and she saw body and limbs disappear through the narrow door. She could not hear it fall on the soft mass of grain beneath, but she knew it was there.

The assassin tugged at the door. He had nothing to do now but to close and fasten it and pull the lever; and then thousands of bushels of wheat would bury the unfortunate man as firmly and fatally as though the car above should itself fall into the cavern.

Annie sprang to her feet and gazed a moment helplessly about her. Then there met her glance the long lever reaching out over the bin. If it only could be held! If the trap-door were kept closed it would keep back the grain, and the superintendent might be saved.

The stranger below had nearly closed the thick door. In a moment he would pull the slender rope.

She looked at the lever. A weight on the end over the bin would prevent the trap's moving; there was but one way to accomplish it—she must hold it herself.

On hands and knees she climbed to the edge of the bin; then, reaching far out on the pole which moved the door, she took a firm grasp. A little tremble told her that the door had been closed by the stranger, and she fearlessly swung off!

The slender pole bent and swayed with her weight, and she shuddered lest the lever should still work. If it did, she would be swept down into the abyss over which she hung helplessly, and the stream of grain pouring upon her would mean death to her as well as to the superintendent.

Her small, thin arms and hands were weak. Already the muscles of her wrists were aching with the strain.

Twitch! went the lever. The assassin was jerking the rope. Again and again she felt the jerk, but still the little pole did not rise with her enough to loosen the trap-door. Although the whole affair had occupied but a moment, it seemed to have been hours. In an instant longer she must loosen her hold, and then—

The man was evidently growing impatient, and she felt a jerk of unusual power. There followed a cracking sound; the lever broke, and she was falling through the darkness, the broken piece of the lever still in her hands.

As soon as she realized anything further she was sliding down an inclined plane of wheat, and a man's voice, that of the superintendent, was saying something to her.

Far above they could see the gleam of the electric light streaming over the edge of the bin, with flour dust floating in like motes in a sunbeam.

"I saw him throw you in," sobbed the child, "an' now they'll cover us both!"

"No, they won't," answered the superintendent. "The trainman will have to fix the lever first, and then'll look about to see what's the matter."

Presently the door through which he had fallen was opened, and a lantern was swung in, followed in a moment by a trainman's head.

"Hello!" called the man. "What's the matter down there?"

"I'm in here! It's Griswold," the superintendent answered.

Annie heard a smothered exclamation of astonishment from the man. He summoned help; ropes were brought, and soon both she and Mr. Griswold were drawn up from their perilous position.

The experience of the night had added many lines to the superintendent's face, and though he was relieved to find that the robbers, foiled in the execution of their plans, had vanished without disturbing the safe, the memory of what he had suffered in anticipation remained with him.

As for Annie, the little "mill-sprite" did not lack for rewards and praise, either from the mill-owners or from the man whose life she had saved.—Youth's Companion.

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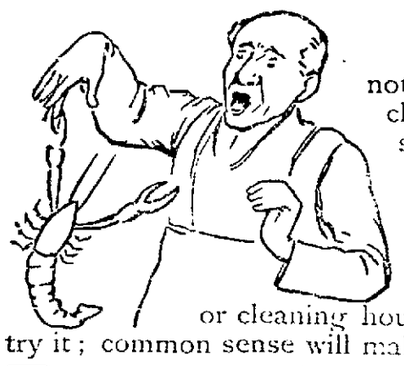

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OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS.

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING.

All the News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wide Awake Correspondents.

—The Bacon place at Thompsonville has been rented to a Fresh Air Fund Society, and will be used as a home for children during the summer.

—David S. Avery has purchased "Fernadele," the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Adams, on Hamilton avenue, Monticello. This is a very desirable property, being one of the handsomest in town.

—Selick Bros., of Monticello, has just finished sinking fifteen artesian wells on C. W. Chanlin's property in the vicinity of Lebanon Lake.

—Monticello's trustees have invested $240 in a street sprinkler, which will be run at public expense.

—Neville Marsh, of Glen Wild, lies in a precarious condition at the Monticello House from the effects of being kicked in the head by a horse at Durland's livery stable in Monticello, June 5th.

—The Democratic convention to choose delegates to represent the county in the State convention, will be held at Monticello, June 20th.

—There are seven prisoners in the county jail.

—Liberty's Board of Health has appointed Dr. Whitcomb health physician and Victory Champlin sanitary inspector.

—Newell H. Savage and Jennie, daughter of Hon. U. S. Messiter, were married at Hotel Wawonda, Thursday. They drove to Liberty Falls to escape a "send off" from their friends, but a number of young people drove there, too, and showered them with rice as they took the train.

—Archbishop Corrigan will visit St. Peter's Church, Liberty, Tuesday, and confirm a class of sixty-five children. He will also bless the statue of the Sacred Heart.

—A fourth of July celebration will be held at Rockland, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational Church. The young people with a view to making the occasion one of special interest, offer to any young couple who will be publicly married on the grounds, one day's hotel expenses and several handsome presents including a bedroom suit. Such an "unprecedented offer" ought to attract candidates for matrimony from all the country roundabout.

—Francis J. Murray, of Mongaup Valley, was recently ordained to the priesthood in Brooklyn.

—There is to be a hearing in the Hammond will case on the 20th of June, on motion of the attorneys for the executors, to admit the will to probate and fix the limitation. When judgment is entered an appeal will be taken by the contestants to the appellate division of the Supreme Court.

—Deer are said to be more numerous in this county than ever before. In Bethel they browse on the farmers' oat fields.

—Abraham Olmstead has sold his ice business in Monticello to F. H. Osborn, his competitor in trade. Mr. Osborn has taken his brother, Melvin, of Centreville, into partnership.

Egg Puffs.

Soften a tablespoonful of butter to a creamy consistency by working it with a fork; beat three eggs to a froth and add them to the butter; add also a level teaspoonful of salt and six tablespoonfuls of flour. Beat all these together until they foam, then put them into buttered earthen cups or small tin pans, and bake in a hot oven for about half an hour, or until they are cooked through and nicely browned. Serve hot for breakfast or luncheon.—N. Y. Ledger.

—It is said that there are only two words in the English language that contain all the vowels in their order. They are "abstemious" and "facetious."

Disinterested Devotion.

She—Yes, that is Mr. Gomboge, the artist. He is wedded to his art.

He—Judging from his appearance, I should say that he didn't marry for money.—Tit-Bits.

Condensed Testimony.

Chas. B. Hood, Broker and Manufacturer's Agent, Columbus, Ohio, certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a Cough remedy. J. D. Brown, Prop. St. James Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a cough of two years standing, caused by LaGrippe, by Dr. King's New Discovery. R. F. Merrill, Baldwinsville, Mass., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather have it than any doctor, because it always cures. Mrs. Hemming, 222 E. 25th St., Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of Croup, because it instantly relieves. Free Trial Bottles at McMonagle & Rogers' Drug Store.

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In a Bad Fix.

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"What is his trouble?"

"He snores so loudly he can't sleep."—Tit-Bits.

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NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Notes of Sunday Services and Other Matters of Religious Interest.

W. C. T. U., 131 North street—Services at 3 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

—The First Universalist Society, Assembly Rooms, North street.—Sunday School at 10 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Dr. J. Russell Taber, of Brooklyn. Morning subject: "The Transient and Permanent in Religion." Evening subject: "The Talmage and Ingersoll Controversy."

—The First Congregational Church, Rev. W. A. Hodgson, D. D., pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. morning service, 11 a. m.; Young People's meeting, 6:30 p. m.; evening service 7:30 p. m.

—A. M. E. Zion Church, East avenue, Rev. P. M. Jackson, pastor.—Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.; Sunday School 3 p. m.; C. E. 7 p. m.

—Y. M. C. A.—Meeting for men at 3:30, in the gymnasium. All men welcome.

—North Street Congregational Church, Rev. J. W. Norris, pastor. Preaching at at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30. Seats free; strangers welcome. Morning subject: "Entire Dependence Upon God." In the evening, Children's Day exercises.

—Faith Mission 11 Mill street, Elder D. L. Conkling pastor. You will be made welcome to any or all of the services at the mission, tomorrow. Sunday School at 2 o'clock. Preaching at 3 and 7:0 p. m.

—First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Thomas Gordon, D. D., pastor. Children's service at 11 a. m. Subject:—"The Vegetable Kingdom and Its Lesson." Baptism of children. Evening service at 7:30, conducted by the Endeavor Society young people's service 6:30 p. m.

Mission school and service, corner East Main street and Prospect avenue, at 3 p. m. Strangers cordially invited. Services conducted by Mr. Ernshaw.

—St. Paul's M. E. Church, Rev. Frank L. Wilson, D. D. pastor.—Children's Day exercises at 11 a. m. and preaching at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; class meeting 9:35 a. m.; Junior Epworth League, 3 p. m.; Epworth League prayer meeting 6:30 p. m. Seats free and strangers cordially invited.

Sabbath School services at Nicholson Hall, North End, at 2:30 p. m., Robert Lawrence, Superintendent.

—First Baptist Church, Rev. F. A. Heath, pastor. Bible School at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 11 o'clock; Junior B. Y. U. P. at 3 p. m.; Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.; preaching at 7:30 p. m. Our seats are all free. Everybody welcome. Morning subject: "Means and Ant-Means Contrast Between National Anniversaries and Recent Association." Evening subject:—"The Children and the Flag—Lessons from Last Thursday's Exercises."

—Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Chas. Beattie, D. D., pastor.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior Endeavor 3 p. m.; Young People's meeting 6:30 p. m. Children's Day exercises in the evening.

—Free Christian Church.—Sunday School 11 a. m. Preaching in the evening by the pastor Rev. O. M. Amchester. Subject: "Nine and years of the Middletown Gospel Temperance Union. Annual meeting of the Gospel Temperance Union this evening.

—Grace Episcopal Church, Rev. D. J. Evans, S. T. A., rector. Second Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion 7:30 a. m.; Sunday School, 9:15 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.; flower service of Sunday School, 3 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

—Bethel A. M. E. Church, Rev. J. H. Nichols, pastor.—Preaching at 11 a. m.; Sunday School 3 p. m.; Bible reading 6:45 p. m.; preaching 7:30 p. m. Close of conference year. Grand rally.

Peary Arrives at St. Johns.

St. Johns, N. F., June 13.—Lieut. Peary arrived here yesterday to charter a steamer for his proposed expedition which will start next month to secure the immense meteorite near Cape York, west Greenland, which Lieut. Peary tried to bring here last year.

Thrown from a Wagon and Killed.

Williamstown, Mass., June 13.—Emil Holm, 35, unmarried, coachman for Charles Bulkley Hubbell, a member of the New York city board of education, was thrown from a wagon opposite the postoffice yesterday and instantly killed, his skull being fractured.

Bicyclist Drowned.

Albany, June 13.—Fred Hunter, 13 years old, son of Hurd Hunter, foreman of steamer five of the Albany fire department, was drowned here yesterday. He was riding along the river front on his bicycle and took a header into the stream.

To Ransom Women from Brigands.

Constantinople, June 13.—The French guardship has started for Yalova, on the sea of Marmora, with $75,000 with which to pay the ransom of the two French women who were recently captured near that place by brigands.

Yale-Princeton Game To-day.

New York, June 13.—The Yale and Princeton baseball teams will meet this afternoon on the Manhattan field. If Princeton wins the series will go to that college. If Yale wins the series is a tie. Greenway will pitch for Yale.

The Soudan Campaign.

Firket, June 13.—Major Burn Murdoch has occupied a large village, just opposite Suarda, and captured large quantities of grain and supplies.

Heir Apparent to the Persian Throne.

Teheran, June 13.—Mohammed Ali Mirza, eldest son of the shah, has been proclaimed heir apparent.

Steere and Miner Recaptured.

Hartford, June 13.—Steere and Miner, the escaped convicts, were arrested in Essex late yesterday afternoon.

A Plain Fact.

"I would lay the world at your feet!" exclaimed the young man who reads novels.

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IN Pursuance of an order made by Hon. J. Le J. Beattie on the 19th day of May, 1896, notice is hereby given to all creditors and persons having claims against Oscar S. Bitter, lately doing business in the city of Middletown, county of Orange, N. Y., under the firm name of Oscar S. Bitter, that they are required to present their claims with the vouchers thereof, duly verified to the subscriber, the assignee of said Oscar S. Bitter, for the benefit of creditors, at his office, No. 16 East Main street in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on or before the 25th of July, 1896. Dated Middletown, N. Y., May 25th, 1896.

EDWIN S. MEEKILL, Assignee.
GEO. H. DECKER, Attorney for Assignee, Middletown, N. Y. d2w-57thSly

SUPREME Court, State of New York.—Charles C. Hankins, plaintiff, vs. Hillside Cemetery Association.

In pursuance to an order duly made by Hon. William O. Tucker, one of the Justices of this court, at a special Term thereof, and entered in the office of the clerk of Orange county, on the 6th day of March, 1896, in the above entitled action, notice is hereby given to all the creditors of the Hillside Cemetery Association to exhibit and prove their claims, according to law, to the said Receiver, Charles C. Lockey at his office, at No. 9 North street, in the city of Middletown, Orange county, New York, on or before the 20th day of September, 1896, and hereby make themselves parties to this action.

It is further provided, in and by said order, that the creditors of the said corporation who may default in so doing, shall be precluded from all benefit of said order to be entered herein and from any distribution to be made hereunder.

Dated March 16th, 1896.

CHARLES C. LOCKEY, Receiver of Hillside Cemetery Association, office and post office address No. 9 North street, Middletown, N. Y.

JOHN L. WIGGINS, Counsel for Receiver, No. 9 North street, Middletown, N. Y.

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Michael H. Dugan, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber the executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased at her residence, No. 31 Bearing avenue, in said city, on or before the 15th day of November, 1896.

Dated Middletown, N. Y., May 14th, 1896.

d7w-m Nov10 MARY E. DUGAN, Executrix.

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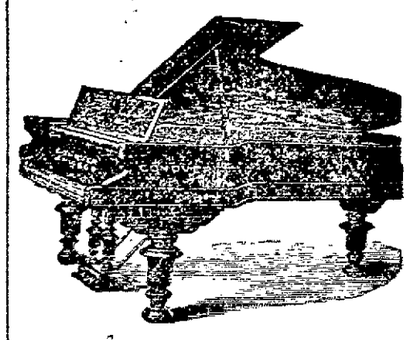

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SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 1896.

TOWN OF MINISINK.

The Democrats of the Town of Minisink will meet, Wednesday afternoon, June 17th, at 3 o'clock, at Chardavoyne's hall in Westtown, to choose delegates to represent them in the Assembly District Convention in Middletown, June 20th.
By order of TOWN COMMITTEE.

TOWN OF WAWAYANDA.

The Democrats of Wawayanda will meet at Green's Hall, Slate Hill, Wednesday afternoon, June 17th, at 3 o'clock, for the purpose of choosing delegates to represent them in the Assembly District Convention, to be held in Middletown, Saturday, June 20th.
By order of Town Committee.

TOWN OF WALLKILL.

The Democrats of the town of Wallkill will meet at Bull's Hall, Circleville, Tuesday afternoon, June 16th, at 2:30 o'clock, to choose delegates to represent them in the Assembly District Convention, to be held at Middletown, June 20th.
By order of
FRANK P. MILLS,
W. H. HOLDEN,
J. M. HORTON, } Town Committee.

CITY OF MIDDLETOWN.

The Democratic electors of the several wards of the city of Middletown will meet on Tuesday evening, June 16, at 8 o'clock, to select delegates to attend the Assembly Convention to send delegates to the State Convention. The following places have been selected to hold primaries:
1st Ward—McQuoid Engine House.
2nd Ward—Phenix Engine House.
3rd Ward—Commercial Hotel.
4th Ward—Holding House.
By order of CITY COMMITTEE.

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT CONVENTION.

The Democrats of the Second Assembly District of Orange county are requested to meet at the respective places at which the last town or ward caucuses were held, on Tuesday, June 16th, 1896, at 7 o'clock p. m., unless otherwise ordered by the town or ward committees, for the purpose of choosing delegates to represent them in a convention to be held in the Assembly Rooms, in the city of Middletown, on Saturday, June 20th, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., to elect delegates to the Democratic State Convension, to be held at Saratoga on June 24th, 1896, and to transact such other business as may come before the convention. By order of Assembly Committee.
W. H. CRANE, Chairman.

"Cash in advance" is the rule that colored delegates propose to enforce at St. Louis. Forty of them met, yesterday, and decided not to vote for McKinley until they were paid their expenses and the "going price" for votes. The "unkindest cut of all" is that most of these delegates were contestants, seated without regard to right or justice, in order to increase McKinley's strength on the first ballot.

The extreme free silver men at St. Louis, who are anxious that the Republican convention shall be explicit in its declaration for either silver or gold, are much wiser in their day and generation than those who will be content with a meaningless straddle. They realize that a straddle will in no way help their cause and will merely prolong the period of uncertainty and profitless agitation. They are confident that the Democratic convention will be controlled by the silverites and they want the Republican convention to take a decided stand, either for or against them, that the issue of silver or gold may be squarely presented to the country. It would be better, far better, for the country if this could be done. Let us have the issue o sound or debased currency fought out at the polls, that doubt and fear of the future may no longer paralyze business and fetter industry.

Ex-Judge Isaac H. Maynard, who died suddenly at Albany, yesterday afternoon, marred an honorable career by an excess of political zeal in the dispute over the result of the election for Senator in the Dutchess county district in 1891. No one who knew Judge Maynard's high standard of personal and professional honor, his conscientiousness and his unostentatious christian life believed for a moment that he did anything but what he believed he had the right to do, but the Republican and Mugwump press made him appear a monster of iniquity and his candidacy for the Court of Appeals resulted in disastrous defeat. Personally, Judge Maynard was one of the most likable of men, and he had a hold on the confidence and affection of the people of his home county, Delaware, that nothing could weaken for it was founded in a knowledge of his integrity and worth.

Platt has refused to listen to the offer o. the McKinleyites to nominate Gov. Morton for Vice President. The lure would have been a tempting one if Platt was in this fight merely as a politician, for it would have let him out without humiliation and would have insured to him and his machine undisturbed and undisputed control of the New York campaign. Acceptance of the proffer would, however, have involved his acquiescence in whatever platform McKinley's managers saw fit to force on the convention and Platt, who is honest and sincere in his advocacy of the gold standard, would not make peace at the sacrifice of this all important principle. No matter what the outcome of the convention, Platt seems likely to carry off most of the honors. He is proving himself a broader guage man than public opinion has credited him with being. Decided and comdemnation of party bosses and machine politicians he is proving that he possesses many of the attributes of the statesman.

The only remedy in the world that will at once stop the intense itching of the skin in any part of the body, that is absolutely safe and never failing, is Hood's Ointment. Get it from your druggist.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

THE SITUATION AT ST. LOUIS.

The Platform to Declare For Gold and the Maintenance of the Present Standard—Platt's Demands.

Special to the DAILY ARGUS.

St. Louis, June 13.—At a conference between McKinley's western friends, Kohlsaadt, Gov. Merriam, of Minnesota, and Myron T. Herrick, of Cleveland, it was resolved to put gold in the platform, and pledge the party to maintain the present standard. It is understood Hanna consents. This takes the gold men out of any alliance with the silver men for obstructive tactics.

The committee has heard ninety-six contests and given sixty to McKinley.

Platt says the committee is riding rough shod. He says the party will need the electoral votes of New York. He demands a gold platform, the seating of his delegates and no interference with the State organization in the campaign. He also demands that Quay keep his promise. Quay says he will do so but he is not believed.

Fessenden is disgusted with Manley's treachery to Reed.

Leroy, Morton and Allison will be placed in nomination. A big fight on eight Platt delegates is being made by Cornelius Bliss and Whitelaw Reed.

MANNING.

WILL NOT ACCEPT SECOND PLACE

Under No Circumstances Will Gov. Morton Be a Candidate For Vice President.

BY UNITED PRESS.

St. Louis, June 13.—Chauncey M. Depew, who arrived, this morning, makes public the following telegram:

RHINECLIFFE, N. Y., June 13.

To Hon. Chauncey M. Depew, St. Louis:—Please announce that I stated to you before you left New York that I would not under any circumstances accept the nomination for Vice President.
(Signed) LEVI P. MORTON.

SUPT. WATSON'S MURDERER CONVICTED.

BY UNITED PRESS.

Jersey City, June 13.—Edward Clifford, the detective who killed William Watson, Superintendent of the West Shore railroad, at Weehauken, was convicted, to-day, of murder in the first degree, with a recommendation to mercy.

BENEDICTS AND BACHELORS.

The Single Men Defeat the Married Men in the Greatest Ball Game of the Season.

The married men and their single brethren played four innings of base ball at the Hospital grounds, yesterday. The singles won by a score of 11 to 9. The teams were as follows:

Married men—Jack Deguan, p: and c. f; E. Burts, c. and p: F. M. Stratton, c. and c. f; G. E. Wallace, 1b; J. Colwell, 2b; Wheeler Davenport, s. s; Charles Higham, 3b and c. f; W. F. Bailey, l. f. and 3b; H. R. Kingsland, r. f.

Single Men—B. Beattie, p. and c.; J. Stephen Farrell, p. and 1b.; M. Bannigan, p. and 3b.; E. Wengenroth, 2b.; L. Wengenroth, 1b.; Philip Rorty, s. s.; J. Devore, l. f.; A. C. N. Thompson, c. f.; Fred Corwin, r. f. Umpires—C. B. Buckley and Louis Roth.

Fell from a Cherry Tree.

Mr. Wm. T. Conkling fell from a cherry tree to the ground, a distance of about sixteen feet, this morning. He received a severe shock and for a time it was feared he was seriously hurt. Later, however, it was found that his injuries consisted only of bruises, chiefly about the hips.

In Hard Luck.

Last night Thomas DeYo, of Michigan Corners, attempted to turn out of the car track in front of Donovan's stables, when one axle of his wagon broke.

To-day he was in town again and broke a wheel while turning out of the track at the Belle House.

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FACE RAW AND BLEEDING

My little boy was afflicted with Eczema in acute form for a year, during which we tried without success every known remedy. The disorder appeared on the right cheek and was of a blistery and bloody form. His pillow, mornings, would bear the bloody imprint of the side of his face, while it was impossible to prevent him from scratching his face owing to the itching. Advised to try CUTICURA, I bought a box. The first application was made at night, and it is a fact, that the appearance of the affected parts showed *a noticeable improvement the next morning*, and, continuing the treatment as a result, my child has as fair and smooth skin as can be found anywhere.
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OBITUARY.

John C. Eagan.

John C. Eagan, a well known citizen, died at his home, No. 74 Fulton street, at 8:20 o'clock, last night, of paralysis, after an illness of a year and a half, most of which time he was confined to bed.

He was born in County Tipperary, Ireland, fifty-nine years ago. He came to this country thirty-five years ago, and for twenty-nine years has resided in this city. He was a mason and worked at his trade until his health began to fail ten years ago, but found lighter employment until stricken with paralysis a year and a half ago.

He was married in this city to Dora Pardee, who survives him, with three children, Joseph, of Pittsburg; James C., the letter carrier, and Mary, at home. He is also survived by two brothers, Thomas and James in Ireland. One brother died in Sydney, Australia; another in Hong Kong, China, and a sister in India.

Mr. Eagan was one of the charter members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in this city, was one of its first presidents and did much to build up the society.

He had quite a history, having been a policeman in Ireland, a British soldier, served in the Construction Department of the Union army during the war and at one time served as constable of the town of Wallkill. He had many friends in Middletown who will regret his death.

The funeral will be held from the house at 10 and at St. Joseph's Church with high mass at 10:30 a. m., Sunday.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 16 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, June 13, '96.

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A. T. & S. F.	14⅜	15⅛
C. B. & Q.	77⅜	78½
Chicago Gas	67⅜	68
D. L. & W.	161½	—
Dis. & Cat. F.	15⅞	16¾
Erie	14¼	14½
General Electric	32	32⅞
L. & N.	50	50⅞
L. S.	152½	—
M. P.	22¾	22⅞
N. Y. & N. E.	—	—
N. Y. C.	95⅝	96
N. W.	102⅝	103
Susquehanna & Western	—	—
Susquehanna & West. pref.	23½	—
O. & W.	14	—
Manhattan	101¾	103
Southern R'y	—	9¼
P. & R.	9	9⅝
R. I.	70	70⅝
C. M. & St. P.	76¾	77½
U. P.	7¼	7½
W. Union	85¼	85⅞
Nat. Lead	24½	—
July Wheat	57½	57
July Corn	27⅞	27¾
July Oats	17½	17⅝
July Pork	$7 17	$7 17
July Lard	4 17	4 17

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BIRTHS.

BENNETT—June 7th, '96, to Mr. and Mrs. David Bennett, of Middletown, a son.

DIED.

EAGAN—In this city, June 12th, '96, John C. Eagan, aged fifty-nine years.
Funeral Monday, at nine-thirty, from his late residence, 74 Fulton street; and ten o'clock at St. Joseph's Church, with requiem high mass. Interment in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

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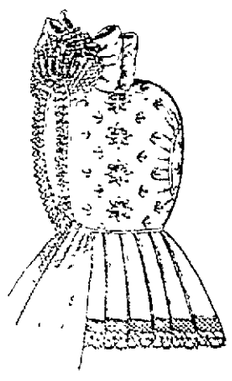

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SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 1896.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—Increasing cloudiness with showers, to-night; Sunday threatening weather; variable winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the record of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, to-day: 7 a. m., 61°, 12 m., 79°; 3 p. m., 71°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—June 14—Odd Fellows' memorial services.
—June 15-20—Ad Carlisle, at Midway Park.
—June 11, 15, 16—Commencement exercises of the Misses Porter's school.
—June 16—Taxpayers' vote on additional school building appropriation.
—June 17—Picnic of St. Joseph's C. B. Society, at Mt. Anchor Park.
—June 19—Dramatic and pantomimic recital, at the Assembly Rooms.
—June 22-27—Lawrence and wife, illustrated singers, at Midway Park.
—June 26—Wallkill Academy commencement.
—June 26—Red Men's picnic, at Columbia Park.
—June 25-July 4—DeVan, at Midway Park
—July 6-11—Troupe of Trained Pigs, at Midway Park.
—July 13-18—Delfordlo & Glissondo, at Midway Park.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Quinine pills 5c a dozen at J. J. Chambers'.
—Commencement season. See adv. of Hanford & Horton.
—Veal 6 cents at Greening Bros'.
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—Doctor yourself with Mangan's Remedies.
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LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Odd Fellows' Memorial Day to-morrow.

—Additional local matter will be found on third page.

—A new time table will go into effect, on the O. and W., on June 21st.

—Lewis Wood has rented his privileges at Baker's park to W. J. McIlvane.

—Measles are very prevalent in Deposit and Susquehanna.

—The O. and W.'s big bridge at Sidney Centre will be completed in about ten days.

—Flowers for Odd Fellows Memorial Day should be left at the Lodge rooms, after 7 o'clock, this evening, or before 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

—Mrs. I. P. Madden will return, to-night, from a two weeks' visit to friends in Brooklyn. She will be accompanied by her sister-in-law, Miss Anna Madden.

—A special meeting of Division No. 1, A. O. H., will be held at their rooms at 7:30, this evening, to take action on the funeral of John Eagan.

—The class of '96, of Wallkill Academy, has issued very handsomely engraved invitations to its commencement exercises, to be held at the Casino, June 26th.

—Deposit is a good base ball town. The gate receipts at a recent game between the home nine and the Cuban Giants were $162.

—Scoresby Hose Company, of Ellenville, will pass through this city, Tuesday, en route to Kingston, where it will participate in the firemen's convention on the 17th.

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. W. H. Rogers, who has been spending a week at Fort Edward and attending the commencement exercises of the Institute there, returned home, last evening, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Bessie, and the latter's friend, Miss Rose Falconer.

RECEPTION AND ENTERTAINMENT

At the Convalescent Children's Home Near Goshen.

A reception and an entertainment will be given at the Children's Fresh Air Home, on the Bradner Farm, about one mile west of Goshen, Tuesday next at 3 and at 7:30 p. m., and on Wednesday at 3 p. m. The entertainment will consist of songs and recitations by the fresh air children under the management of their attendant, Miss Mann, and the ladies of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Second Presbyterian Church, of this city.

Leave trolley cars at first grade beyond the Holbert farm, where a guide will be stationed. Admission free. Collections and donations are on the programme.

"The Little Helpers" Fair and Entertainment.

"The Little Helpers," children from ten to thirteen years old, who attend the High street school, will give a fair and entertainment at the Assembly Rooms, next Thursday afternoon and evening, for the benefit of the Fresh Air Fund.

Lawn Party for the Y. M. C. A.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., will hold a lawn party at the residence of Mr. Jesse W. Canfields, on Mulberry street, next Thursday evening. A fine entertainment will be a feature of the evening.

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THE ELECTRIC RAILWAY ACCIDENT

Coroner's Inquest in the Case of Joseph Gorman—Many Witnesses Examined—Prospects of a Suit for Damages—Verdict of the Jury.

The inquest in the case of Joseph Gorman, who was killed in the accident on the electric road, Monday night, was commenced at 3:30 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, in the Assembly Rooms. By reason of the fact that a large number of witnesses were sworn and many more were in reserve, and that the family of the deceased was represented by counsel in the person of E. S. Merrill, Esq., it looks as though a suit for damages against the Railroad Co. is in prospect.

After the coroner had heard the story of the first witness and he and members of his jury had asked all the questions they wished, Mr. Merrill took the witness in hand and began a vigorous cross-examination which was allowed to go on for a time, when members of the jury made objections to having their time taken up, and then Superintendent Urban said if there was to be counsel in the case, he should insist that his company be also represented. Coroner Decker said that he was also entitled to counsel, but he did not consider counsel necessary in either case and would decline to permit any further cross-questioning except by the jury, as this was not a suit for damages but an inquest to ascertain the cause of death, and that the records of the inquest and the jury's findings could be had when necessary. Mr. Merrill, he said, had the right to be present and make notes of the proceedings.

The first witness was Harry W. Turhill, Erie ticket clerk and operator. He was on the front seat behind the motorman when the car struck the wagon, but did not see the wagon. He saw the motorman apply the brake and in about a minute heard the crash. He saw two men in a wagon before the car turned back to Hulse's switch, near East Broadway. They were driving fast and after passing the car swung first into the gutter and then upon the track. He estimated the speed of the car going down the hill about eight miles an hour.

Chas. H. Bellinger was the next witness. He knew the Gorman brothers, and when the car met them near East Broadway coming up, they spoke to him and he to them. They were driving at a good jog. He sat in the second seat from the rear, and when the car started back for the switch he was riding backward. He heard the motorman ringing his bell vigorously, and turned around and saw the wagon, which was then near J. W. Gardner's. The car was then running at pretty fair speed. The motorman slacked up first near Mr. Higham's. The horse appeared to be heading toward the track, while the men tried to pull it away. When the car got close to the wagon the horse jumped square across the track, and appeared to be beyond the control of the men. The car ran about fifty feet after striking the man.

Isaac C. Humphrey, an ex-conductor on the electric road, resides on Woodlawn avenue, 109 feet from Main street. He was sitting at his window when he heard the unusual ringing of the bell, and saw the two cars coming down the hill and a horse and wagon. The horse was trotting at a good gait, and the men were pulling the horse's head from side to side. Later the horse began lunging and sprang across the track when the car was within half a length of it. He estimated the speed of the car at ten miles an hour, not as fast as usual on this part of the road. He considered the car under good control, as the stop was a good one.

Conductor Harry Hunt, of car 21, noticed the motorman ringing the gong, but could not see the wagon until the car was within 125 feet of where it was struck. He could not see the horse. The motorman put on the brake so suddenly that it threw him from his balance.

George E. Moran, motorman on car No. 21, testified that when his car passed the men at East Broadway they were "yanking" the horse and appeared to be trying to stop it before reaching a point that would bring them between the car and a wagon standing at the sidewalk. After turning back he saw the men first when they were at Horton avenue. He turned off the power at Storch's house as usual, and rang the bell to give the men warning of his coming. As he neared the wagon the horse was trotting and the men began "seesawing" the horse, which appeared as if about to break. He slowed down and when he thought there was a chance to pass loosened his brake. He was about ten feet behind the wagon when the horse sprang across the track. He thought the lines were crossed. He could have passed the horse if it had not jumped upon the track.

Dr. J. B. Hulett, who attended Gorman in Thrall Hospital, testified that the cause of death was internal injuries and shock. Asked if he had any conversation with Mr. Gorman he said he asked him on the morning of June 9th, how it happened, and Gorman replied that the horse bolted sideways; the car came up behind and scared the horse. Gorman did not know until told by the doctor that he had been under the car.

Harry A. Smith, conductor of car No. 20, testified that at 7:30 o'clock that evening when his car came out of Benton avenue the motorman had to stop for a carriage in which were Joseph Gorman and another man whom he did not know, which was driven so close to the rail that the car could not pass. When the wagon proceeded into East Main street the wagon was driven against the curb on the opposite side of the street and the actions of those men attracted the attention of passengers.

Motorman E. C. Osterhout corroborated Conductor Smith's testimony.

Conductor Joseph McGrail and Motorman Hedge of car No. 4, which met car No. 21 at Ridge street, testified that the block at Railroad avenue was clear when they passed the signal.

Ira Ketcham, employed by J. H. Horton, testified that he hired the horse to Gorman at 7:30 o'clock. The horse had been owned by Mr. Horton two or three months. It was young, and a little shy of the cars.

Supt. O. C. G. Urban, of the Traction Co., testified that at 9:30 he visited the scene of the accident, and noticed a strong odor of liquor. He found a portion of a bottle, and a paper which was saturated with liquor of some kind. He measured the distance from where the wagon was struck to where the car stopped, and found it to be 79 feet, and from where the wagon track left the roadway to where it crossed the track was not more than four or five feet, and there would have been ample room for the car to pass the wagon but for the sudden turning of the horse.

There were other witnesses who had been called to testify as to the condition of the men before the accident, but it was not deemed necessary to call them, and the case was given to the jury.

The verdict was to the effect that the deceased came to his death by being drawn upon the track in front of the car, caused by the horse being frightened or by some other cause unknown to the jury, and no reason could be found for censuring the Traction Company or its employes.

A PERTINENT INQUIRY.

Concerning the East Main Street and Wickham Avenue Pavements.

The Argus is frequently asked: Is it not about time the paving between the tracks on East Main street and Wickham avenue, which was put down temporarily last fall, is taken up and bricks of the proper kind laid properly? The Argus, of course, can not answer. It may be that is this to be another winter job rushed through hastily as was the remainder of the job at the beginning of winter last year. The weather may not be so favorable for such work this year as last.

To Institute a New Masonic Lodge at Liberty.

District Deputy Grand Master W. M. Combs of the Tenth Masonic District has been deputized by the Grand Master, J. L. Stewart, to institute and install the officers of a new Masonic lodge at Liberty, to be known as Mongaup Lodge, No. 816. The event will occur June 23 and a number of Masons from Hoffman Lodge will attend. The officers of the lodge will be: W. M., Chas. L. Beaumont, S. W., John H. Kilbourne, J. W., John M. Hall.

Ain't a Free Man.

Archibald Bill, of Ellenville, who was charged with forgery and transferred from the Ulster county jail to the Middletown State Hospital, where he recovered his reason, was discharged, yesterday, by Judge Clearwater, the District Attorney being satisfied he was insane when he committed the crime. Bill, while his mind was clouded, insisted that "mince pie is the root of all evil."

To Sue Broome County's Treasurer's Bondsmen.

The supervisors of Broome county have voted to proceed against the bondsmen of County Treasurer John A. Rider to recover $90,000 deposited by him in the broken Broome County National Bank and $2,000 deposited in the Merchants' Bank, which has also failed.

Schools Must Use Prison Made Brooms.

From the Albany Argus.

The State prisons under the new law will be called upon to furnish no less than 20,000 brooms for the schools of the State, every school district being obliged under the new law to secure its supplies of all sorts, including furniture, from the product of the prisons.

Preparing for the Fourth.

One of Dayton's windows is filled with fireworks of every description and the heart of every boy who passes by is filled with anticipations of the fun in store on the nation's anniversary.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

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From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Extensive interior improvements are being made at the foundry row. These houses, which have so long been vacant, will be occupied by employes of the Newberry Company in the fall.

—Miss Julia Van Vliet has returned from school at Philadelphia for the summer vacation.

—Dikeman Hose Co.'s base ball team will probably arrange for a series of matches with Fearless Hook and Ladder Co., of Walden.

—The water mains are being extended on Church street from South street to the residence of E. L. Roys.

—Miss Ella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Diehl, of this village, and Mr. Edward Farrell, a prosperous business young business man of Warwick, will be united in marriage, Thursday afternoon, June 18th, at 2 o'clock, at St. John's Church.

—There are said to be forty applicants for the position made vacant by the resignation of Prof. J. D. Tracy. The Board of Education has reached no decision regarding Mr. Tracy's successor.

—Mr. Seneca E. Jessup will shortly begin the erection of another new cottage on Wallace Terrace.

An Afternoon of History.

Mrs. Charles F. Brown entertained Quassaic Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, and the Historical Society at the Hotel Palatine in Newburgh, yesterday afternoon. The programme included an address on "The Battle of Bunker Hill" by Rev. Dr. Hall and the reading of a story, "A Patriotic Misunderstanding," by Mrs. Vanamee.

Once Worthless Potatoes Now Valuable.

A month ago Chester farmers were glad to get ten cents a barrel for potatoes; now they are worth $1.50 per barrel. A Chester gentleman bought up two carloads of tubers at a very small figure, last week, and shipped them to New York realizing $1 per barrel. Farmers who held on to their stock of tubers may yet realize something if they are hurried into market.

No Claim Against His Father's Estate.

The case of Addison Crawford, of Searsville, against the estate of his father, the late John A. Crawford, was decided last week. The plaintiff claimed $10,000 from the estate for services rendered to his father. The court decided that he has no claim against his father.

Goshen's Contribution to the Orange Blossoms' Flag.

The treasurer of the Daughters of Orange has received from Mrs. J. H. Thompson $32, as Goshen's generous contribution towards the Orange Blossoms' flag.

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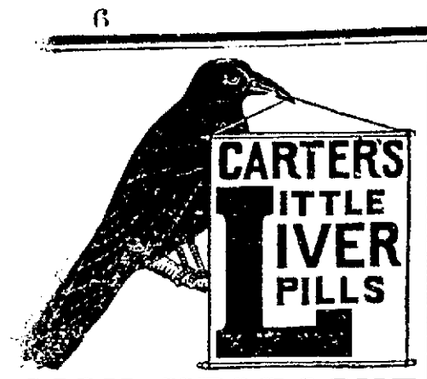

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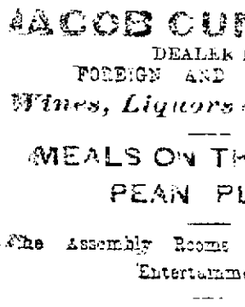

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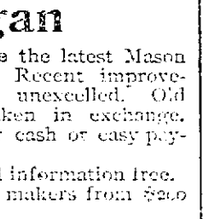

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"Yes," he said, "it wasn't so bad. But, talkin' about fine, big families, I don't believe anybody ever seen a finer than the one that put up at this house one day about 30 years ago. That family filled four wagons that pulled up here about two hours before dinner-time, and a strappin' big fellow walked up to me and 'nounced that his people had to be fed.

"'How many of'm is they?' sez I.

"'Twenty-six,' sez he, 'and all hungry.'

"'All right,' sez I, 'we'll fix 'em, and I runs out to the kitchen and tells my wife. She and the gals begins to hustle right away, and I goes back wonderin' what kind of a gang I had to deal with. Well, I soon found out. The big feller—he told me, afterwards, that he was 63 years old, but he didn't look more than 50—he sez to me: 'I want to register their names.' I give him an old 'count book which had some blank leaves and some writin' material, and he takes his pen in hand. The fust name he puts down was Bartholomew Stryker.

"'That's me,' he sez.

"Then he puts down Mrs. Bartholomew Stryker and sez: 'That's my wife.' And then under them he puts down Bartholomew 'do. Jr.' and John 'do.' and William 'do.' and Stephen 'do.' and a lot more front names o' men with 'do.' after 'em. They was 24 of 'em, b'gosh.

"I knew what 'do' means now, but I didn't know it then, and when he gets through I pints to 'em and sez: 'What does them "dos" mean?'

"'What I have just wrote there,' he sez, 'means that Bartholomew Stryker and his wife and their 24 sons is puttin' up at this tavern fur dinner.'

"'Whoo-e-ei,' I hollers, and then I sez: 'Shake, you're the best man I ever seen.' And we shook and he grins and sez, modest like: 'Yes, we've done purty well, me and the old woman.'

"'Any stepsons?' I sez.

"'Nary a one,' sez he, grinnin' again.

"Well, when they heard the dinner bell, they came a-troopin' in like schoolboys, though some of 'em wasn't no chickens. It was a sight worth seein'. The mother was tall and strong-lookin', and she was smilin' all the time, jest like she never had a minute o' worryin'. The boys was all big and clean built, and they all had honest faces. And you ought to seen 'em eat. They 'bout cleaned us out, but, Lord, how they did enjoy it.

"When dinner was over the old man come up to me openin' a big wallet full of bills.

"'How much?' he sez.

"'Not a durn red cent,' sez I.

"'Whatter you talkin' about?' sez he.

"'I'm talkin' what I'm feelin',' sez I. 'You and your wife and them fine boys is my guests.'

"'They ain't no sense,' he sez, 'in feedin' a family just because it's big.'

"'Well,' sez I, 'it's done me good to see 'em and I'm goin' to do as I please about it. Put up that wallet,' sez I, and after callin' me a durn fool he did it. Then we had a glass o' rum and he told me he was from Canada and that he and the boys had decided to pull up stakes and go west, believin' they could do better farmin' in this country than they could in Canada.

"'How long you been married?' sez I.

"'Forty-two years,' he sez.

"'Ain't none o' your boys married?' sez I.

"'Oh, yes,' he sez, 'seven of 'em is, but when we made up our minds to strike out we thought we'd better leave the woman folks behind till we got kinder settled out there. Then the boys could come back and get 'em.'

"'But your wife?' sez I.

"'Oh,' he sez, 'she wouldn't have nothin' to do with that kind of an arrangement. She jest sez she's goin', and that settled it. She come.'

"Well, they drove away, and I never seen nor heard of 'em since. But you can bet your boots that that family is all right and prosperin'."—N. Y. Times.

CAUSE AND CURE OF INSOMNIA.

Some Simple Remedies for a Troublesome Affliction.

Simple insomnia is an easy disease to control if one goes about it in the right way. It is often the case when persons get into this condition that they become alarmed and fear that something dreadful is going to happen to them. The mere name of insomnia fills them with terror.

Simple nervous insomnia may be broken up almost immediately by avoiding rich food, late hours and too exciting conversation just before retiring. Several cases have been relieved at once by the habit of reading a not very interesting book for half or three-quarters of an hour after one is ready for bed. Read until the eyes begin to droop, or one has a tendency to yawn frequently. In cold weather sleep may be easily induced by preparing for bed, then wrapping a cloak or shawl about the body and placing the feet to the fire-place or a register, keeping them there until the whole system is thoroughly warmed through. Sleeplessness will come after awhile, when the patient may quickly get into bed, and will almost immediately fall into a profound slumber.

Of all simple remedies for insomnia, bathing the feet is probably the most effective. It equalizes the nerves, restores the circulation to the normal, draws the blood from the brain and establishes an equilibrium that is favorable to quiet and undisturbed rest. Drugs, opiates and potions are of very little use in cases of this sort. They have a momentary effect, but the reaction is often a thousand times worse than the condition which they are designed to relieve.—N. Y. Ledger.

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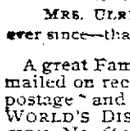

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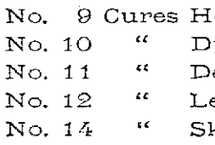

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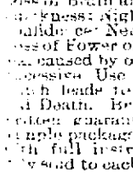

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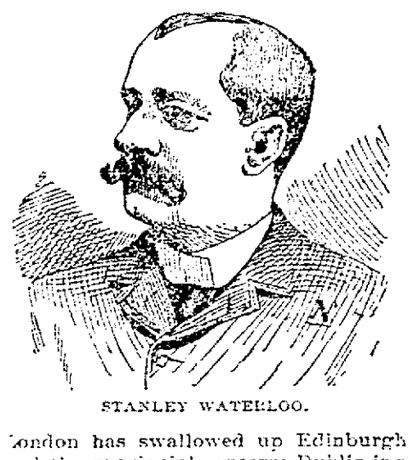
BESANT ON CHICAGO.

Thinks It Will Be the Literary Center of the United States.

Sir Walter Besant contributes an introduction to the English edition of Stanley Waterloo's "An Odd Situation," lately announced in London. "A Man and a Woman," by the same author, was recently presented to British readers and received much favorable notice. Sir Walter takes occasion in his essay of some length to comment upon Chicago as a literary center thus:

"The appearance of a new literary and publishing center is an event of great interest, if only on account of its rarity. Hitherto it has seemed as if the tendency among the English-speaking nations was to concentrate, rather than to increase, the literary centers



STANLEY WATERLOO.

London has swallowed up Edinburgh and the provincial centers; Dublin is a silent sister; Melbourne and Sydney produce very little; Canada cannot hold out against New York, which is absorbing Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore. During the last five or six years, however, there has sprung up in the city of Chicago a new literary center and a new center of publishing. There exists in this city of 1,500,000 inhabitants, which 60 years ago was but a kind of barbican or advanced post against the red Indian, a company of novelists, poets and essayists, who are united, if not by associations and clubs, at least by an earnest resolution to cultivate letters. It may be objected that this is nothing but a provincial coterie, such as we in this country have seen at Lichfield, Norwich and other places, and that, like all such societies, it will presently disappear. I do not think that this will be the fate of the Chicago movement, for several reasons. First, the city is so huge that there must be continually born in it, or brought into it from the country, persons with the literary gift; next, there exists in the northwest states an unbounded admiration for the literary calling—a feeling which ought by itself to raise up aspirants; thirdly, they have at Chicago a university, with professors of literature and libraries; they also have, for the higher culture, colleges and academies of music, theaters and opera houses, galleries of paintings, schools of art and lectures of all kinds; they have a journal of literary criticism, sober, conscientious and scholarly, from every point of view unsurpassed by any other literary journal in America or England. Given, therefore, a people who are always ready to pour out their love and respect upon every writer who can touch their hearts; given these country circles of culture; given a great city in which all the problems of human life can be studied; given, again, a company of men and women resolved to give all that is best in them to the pursuit of letters, it would be strange, indeed, if there did not come out of all this a growth of literature worthy of joining the literature of Shakespeare, Milton and Pope, Fielding and Thackeray, Lowell and Longfellow, Emerson and Motley."

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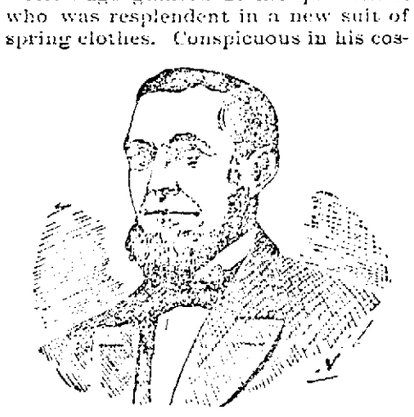
Tells a Bunco Man to Discard Diamonds and Red Necktie.

Russell Sage thought he met and vanquished a bunco steerer Monday afternoon. The millionaire was standing in front of the New York stock exchange watching the process of lowering a safe from an adjoining building. His eyes were in the air when a young man stepped in front of him.

"Pardon me, Mr. Sage," said the young man, "but are you going to see the mayor this morning?"

Mr. Sage glanced at the questioner, who was resplendent in a new suit of spring clothes. Conspicuous in his costume was a bright red necktie, adorned with a diamond pin. As Mr. Sage's eyes fell upon this splendor he smiled.



RUSSELL SAGE.

"About rapid transit," continued the questioner; "are you going to see him about rapid transit?"

"Go on, young man," said Mr. Sage, the smile leaving his lips. "I'm not Mr. Sage, but I'm working this side of the street. You take the other side."

When Mr. Sage came out of the mayor's office two hours later he was again accosted by the same man. This time he introduced himself as a reporter, which he really was, and explained that he was in search of information.

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N. Y. Supreme Court, County of Orange—Frank N. Stratton, plaintiff, vs. The Middletown Casino Theatre Company of Middletown, N. Y. and Horace W. Corey, defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made in the above entitled action on the 23d day of March, 1896 and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the county of Orange on the 23d day of March, 1896 I, the undersigned the Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Russell House, a hotel kept by E. A. Brown & Son in the city of Middletown, in the county of Orange, New York on the

11TH DAY OF JUNE 1896

at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day the lands and premises in said judgment mentioned and herein described as follows:

All that certain parcel of land situate in the city of Middletown, county of Orange and State of New York bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the northwest line of James street with the southwest line of Henry street; thence along the northwest line of James street at 143 along the front of the Casino Building south forty three degrees forty two minutes, west sixty feet to the easterly corner of "E. A. Brown's lot," known as the "Russell House lot," and eleven inches southeasterly from the main brick wall between the premises on the southwest of the Casino thereon along the line of the said Brown's "Russell House lot" north fifty-nine degrees eighteen minutes west one hundred and fifty feet passing seven inches southerly from and parallel with the southwest side of the main brick wall between the premises on the southwest side of the Casino building to the rear line of the said Brown's lot to merry known as The Boiler lot; thence along the same north thirty-seven degrees east twenty feet to the southerly line of Henry street in an easterly direction forty-five feet to a point near the northwest corner of the Casino building and at an angle in said street; thence along the southwest line of Henry street south fifty-six degrees eighteen minutes east one hundred and twenty-six feet to the place of beginning, be the same more or less, together with all the right title and interest of the said party of the first part in and to the lands lying on the northerly side of the above described lot in and to the centre of Henry street, and on the southeasterly side of said lot in and to the centre of James street, subject, however, to the easement of the same as a public highway.

Dated Middletown, N. Y., May 11th 1896

WILLIAM F. O'NEILL, Referee

DANIEL FINN, Attorney for Plaintiff 25 North street, Middletown, Orange county, N. Y.

The sale of the above described premises is hereby adjourned to June 18th, 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the same place named in the above notice of sale

Dated June 11th 1896

WILLIAM F. O'NEIL, Referee.

DANIEL FINN, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of George Green late of the town of Crawford, in said county deceased; that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, at the office of John C. R. Taylor, rooms 5 and 6 Low Building, in the city of Middletown, in said county, their place of transacting the business of said estate, on or before the 15th day of July, 1896

Dated January 9th, 1896.

FRANK P. GREEN, GEORGE S. GREEN, } Executors.

JOHN C. R. TAYLOR, Attorney for Executors, rooms 5 and 6 Low Building, Middletown, N. Y. w Tu6m Jly14

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Ann McBride, late of the town of Greenville, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, at the residence of Emmet J. McBride, in the town of Warwarsing, in said county, on or before the 7th day of September, 1896.

EMMET J. McBRIDE, JOHN McBRIDE, } Administrators.

O'NEILL & ROYCE, Attorneys for Administrators, Middletown, N. Y.

Dated March 4th, 1896 1ThuSat3

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Catherine Spellman, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, at the office of G. H. Decker, No. 16 East Main street, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on or before the 2d day of November next

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18—Grand ave. tie and Prince street.
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24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—Norman and John streets, hose crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street corner Montagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
32—Dutton and Mill streets, bat shops.
33—High and Hamford streets.
34—Silver street, confectionery.
35—Liberty and Fair streets.
41—Union street and East avenue.
42—Academy and Hoyt streets.
43—E. Main street and Broadway.
44—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Frank in Square.
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Floor-walker—Did Mrs. Upton buy that last piece of organdie?

Saleswoman — No, Mrs. Downton bought it.

Floor-walker—Why, I thought I heard her say before Mrs. Upton came in that she didn't like it.

Saleswoman—She did say so.

Floor-walker—Then why did she take it?

Saleswoman — Because Mrs. Upton wanted it.—Chicago Record.

In the Far Southwest.

Mrs. Colt (wife of Col. Colt, of Texas)—As I was going by Turner's this morning, John, I heard Jim Bluff say that if justice had its due you'd have adorned a telegraph pole long ago.

Col. Colt (springing up from the dinner table)—Jim Bluff, you say? Let me—

Wife—Now, John, please finish your dinner. The shooting will keep.—Bay City Chat.

The Budding Contributor.

"I have some burning thoughts," said he.
The editor was cruel.
"We never yet," he said, "have let
Subscribers pay with fuel."
—Washington Star.

THE MARCH OF SCIENCE.

Ardent Lover—If you could see my heart, Belinda, you would know how fondly—

Up-to-Date Girl (producing Roentgen camera)—I intend to see it, George. Sit still, please.—Collier's Weekly.

Seeking the Shadow.

Her husband dabbled early and late
With the X-rays. Why was it?
He was merely trying to locate
The skeleton in their closet.
—Detroit Free Press.

Worse.

"My gas bill this month fairly took my breath away!" complained the horse editor.

"Mine did worse than that," replied the snake editor.

"How?"

"It took away all my cash."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Its Value.

"You have some very valuable property, I believe," said the tall man, carelessly.

The little man looked at him sharply.

"That depends," he said.

"Depends on what?"

"On whether you want to buy it or assess it."—Chicago Post.

What She Missed.

"It's a perfect shame, Harold, that I haven't a wheel."

"My dear, you haven't missed anything."

"Yes I have. I might have had half a dozen bones broken by this time!"—Detroit Free Press.

His Masterpiece.

"How did Daubs save himself when that leap-year girl got after him out in the country?"

"Oh, he painted a bargain counter on a high-board fence, and while she was gazing at it, he got away."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A New Method.

Mamma (to little one who has climbed with her dolls to the top of the pianoforte)—Naughty girl! What are you doing up there?

Little One (innocently)—Playing on the piano, mamma.—Detroit Free Press.

Touching.

Miss Toots—I went to hear the Royal Bell Ringers last night. Bell music has a peculiar sympathetic and touching quality, I think.

Jack Bass—Yes, bell ringing is usually very appealing.—To Date.

A Mutual Disappointment.

"I was so disappointed I was out the other day when you called, Miss Percival."

"So was I. I felt sure I'd find you, because when I turned the corner, I saw you go in."—Harper's Bazar.

Too Expensive.

Lord Fitzboodle— I want to marry your daughter, sir.

Old Goldust—Sorry, but I'm worth only a paltry million and I need that for my own use.—Town Topics.

Really Wonderful.

Mrs. Flatbush—Did you have an accident coming up on the trolley tonight, dear?

Mr. Flatbush—Yes; we didn't run over anybody.—Yonkers Statesman.

Crafty Dawson.

"Why is Dawson painting his house such a vermillion red?"

"He thinks it will look so warm this summer no one will want to visit there."—Detroit Free Press.

SMITH'S BILE BEANS

SAVED HER LIFE.

J. F. Smith & Co., 255 Greenwich St., N. Y.: With pleasure I testify to the merits of your celebrated "Bile Beans." My wife, who suffered more or less for years past, particularly one year ago, when I not expected to live. Her trouble was called Gall Stones, or hardening of the gall. On the 15th of July, 1889, I received the bottle of "Bile Beans" you forwarded to me. She gave them a thorough trial and has not been troubled with liver or stomach complaint since. She gives "Bile Beans" all the credit for her quite good health for the past 5 months. We have on hand nearly one bottle, but do not wish to be without them at any time, so please mail $1 worth for money enclosed. A. K. CLARK, Moravia N. Y.

A PROSPECTOR'S LUCK.

He Discovers a Golden Bowlder on the Columbia River.

A Lone Rock of Twenty Thousand Tons Proves Rich in Gold and Copper—Martin Neilly Tells the Story of His Rich Strike.

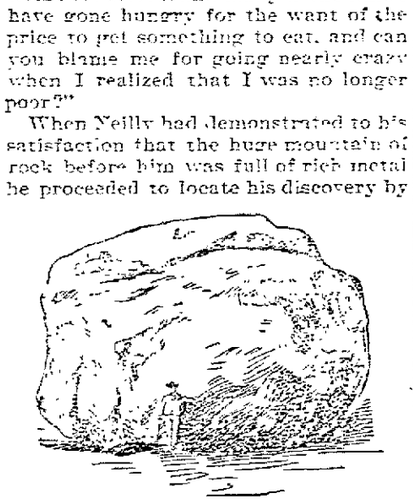
Last Monday Martin Neilly, of Spokane, Wash., was returning to Rossland, B. C., after an unsuccessful prospecting trip into the Salmon river district. He reached the Columbia river at a point about six miles north of Trail Landing, B. C., at noon on that day and selecting a spot on the bank of the stream at the foot of Lookout mountain he sat down to eat his dinner. As he did so he noticed a huge bowlder half buried in the sand in a dry portion of the river not far from where he sat.

When he was through with his repast he shouldered his pick and sauntered over toward the huge bowlder. He examined it at first in a casual way, and then his experienced eye told him that it was promising-looking quartz rock. He struck his pick into it several times and dislodged a piece of the decomposed rock. Great was his surprise when upon picking up the fragment he saw traces of gold and copper.

He walked around the bowlder and knocked off piece after piece, and as he did so his excitement increased with each successive disclosure. In speaking of the circumstance to a St. Louis Globe-Democrat correspondent, he said:

"It was some time before I fully realized what a fortune I had discovered, but when it dawned upon me that at last I was a rich man I am afraid I made such demonstrations as would justify anyone who might have seen me in believing that I had lost my senses. For several years I have been 'grubstaked' in prospecting these mountains without success, and many is the time I have gone hungry for the want of the price to get something to eat, and can you blame me for going nearly crazy when I realized that I was no longer poor?"

When Neilly had demonstrated to his satisfaction that the huge mountain of rock before him was full of rich metal he proceeded to locate his discovery by



NEILLY'S BOWLDER.

posting the usual notices taking in the ground upon which the bowlder rested. He then selected a number of the specimens of rock that he had chipped off, and, putting them in his pocket, he started for Rossland, arriving there late in the afternoon.

He went to several assayers and left some of the rock to be assayed.

The next morning one assayer's report showed that the ore contained $53 in gold to the ton, besides being rich in copper. The other two assays showed $47 and $55 in gold and also copper.

From the position of the bowlder, lying as it does on the dry bed of the river all by itself and at the foot of Lookout mountain, which rears its crest several thousand feet up in the air, it is evident that at some period this huge body of rock has become dislodged from the mountain and rolled down with fearful momentum to the point where it now rests.

The bowlder, as near as can be estimated, contains in the neighborhood of 20,000 tons of rock. As yet Reilly is undecided what he will do with his bowlder. He says he may conclude to have it mined and shipped to the Trail smelter for reduction, or he may decide to dispose of it to some syndicate or capitalist for a good round figure. He has set no price on it, and says he will not until he has had time to think the matter over.

A Trance Medium's Prediction.

Mlle. Henrietta Conedon, the trance medium who is the rage of Paris, and who, among other lucky guesses, foretold that Queen Victoria would be in fresh mourning this year, has now prophesied that the queen will live to the age of 99. This prediction will, no doubt, be the deathblow to the prince of Wales' hope, who may as well make up his mind to go down to his grave an uncrowned king. As Victoria Alexandrina was born in Kensington palace on May 24, 1819, she has celebrated the 77th anniversary of her birth, and the fulfillment of the Parisian seeress' promise of 22 additional years of reign would keep her mum at the throne of the British empire until the year 1918.

Silliest of Modern Fads.

People are collecting badge buttons nowadays, and there are already collections that number hundreds. The politician gathers in the emblem of party strife or victories, the bicyclist exchanges club buttons with brother bicyclist, the business man keeps a collection to see what his rivals are doing, the small boy to see how many badge buttons he can secure and the new woman follows suit because everyone else is doing so. The craze threatens to become even more popular than the button strings made by children 30 years ago. The bicyclists started the fad.

Healthfulness of Apples.

Doctors say that if women would eat plenty of apples they would not need any other tonic. There are medicinal properties in the acid of the apple that are not found anywhere else. They cleanse and tone the system at the same time, and the habitual apple eater experiences a peculiar exhalation that is almost unknown to those who abstain from the fruit.

NEW YORK, ONTARIO AND WESTERN RAILWAY.

Time Table in Effect May 10th, 1896.
NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	11 Milk *	1 Ont'day Exp †	7 Susq. Div Co. Exp †	5 Chicago Limit *
N. Y. Leave	A M	A M	P M	P M
Franklin St	3 30	7 40	3 05	4 15
W. 42d St.	3 45	7 55	3 15	4 30
Weehawken	4 05	8 10	3 30	4 45
Cornwall	6 10	9 45	5 08	6 50
W. Cornwall	6 22	9 58	5 08	
Orr's Mills	6 25	9 55	5 10	
Little Britain	6 40	10 5	5 25	
Barnside	6 50	10 05	5 24	
Campbell H.	7 05	10 22	5 40	6 30
Stony Ford	7 15	10 32	5 44	
M'town Main St.	7 38	10 48	5 58	
M'town Winterton	7 40	10 45	6 0	6 46
	8 45	11 55	6 10	6 56
Winterton	9 10	11 9	6 25	
Bloomingburgh	9 21	11 15	6 30	
Wurtsboro	9 26	11 19	6 34	
Summitville	9 35	11 30	6 45	
Ellenville	10 0	11 50	7 05	
Fallsburgh	10 32	2 05	7 20	
Hurleyville	10 54	12 12	7 37	
Liberty Falls	11 15	12 32	7 58	
Liberty	11 30	12 49	8 07	
Parksville	11 45	12 47	7 55	
Livingston Manor	12 00	12 53	8 08	
Rockland	12 15	1 05	8 22	13
Hancock Junc.	1 20	2 07	9 27	9 19 M
Walton	2 5	2 45	12 45	9 53
Sidney entrp	12	3 18	2 05	
Sidney	43	3 41	4 49	0 35
N'wich Ar	A M	4 38	A M	5 18
N'wich Lv	7 0	4 38	7 31	P M 11 5
Oneid'Castle	11 15	6 19	9 15	10 25 A M
Oneida Ar	11	6 45	9 45	12 10
Oneida Lv	2 35	6 49	9 25	
Fulton	5 05	8 13	11 25	2 30
Oswego Ar	5 55	8 25	11 50	2 30
	P M	M	A M	M

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 New York Exp †	42 Norwich Exp †	14 Del-hi Ex	50 Local	2 Day Exp †	10 Milk *	26 Local
	P M	P M		A M	A M	A M	P M
Oswego lv	12 30	2 30		7 10	4		
Oneida ar		5 05		12 35	8 40		
Oneida lv	2 11	7 5		1 10	8 55	8 11	
Oneid'Castle		5 25	P M	1 15	8 53	9 10	
Norwich ar	3 21	7 15	7 56	6 15	10 37	11 00	
lv	3 29	P M	7 4	P M	1 42	1 05	6 55
Sidney	4 20		8 45		11 4	12 45	9 0
Sidney Centre		12	9 13		11 57	1 0	9 25
Delhi lv		P M			11 00		
Walton	5 0	12 15	9 38		12 37	2 40	1 30
Hancock Jct	5 38	1 30			1 21	3 0	
Rockland		1 38	6 00		1 30	3 08	
Livingston Manor	6 27	2 05	6 14		2 25	4 50	
Parksville		2 6	6 25		2 37		
Liberty	6 48	2 35	6 36		2 51	5 20	
Liberty Falls		2 47	6 41		02 56		
Hurleyville		3 01	6 50		3 05		
Fallsburgh	07	3 19	6 57		3 11	5 44	
Centreville		3 40	7 04		03 20		
Mountain D.		3 50	7 10		03 25		
Ellenville lv			7 10		3 0	5 0	
Summitville		5 15	7 25		3 45	6 15	
Wurtsboro		5 21	7 33		12 12 16	34	
Bloom'gburgh		5 32	7 38		3 57		
Winterton		5 40	7 43		04 12		
M'town ar	8 00	6 5	8 00		4 20	7 18	
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Stony Ford		7 15	8 25		11 46		
Campbell H.		7 30	8 31		1 52		
Burnside		7 38	8 36		11 57		
Little Britain		7 59	8 45		15 08		
Orr's Mills		8 15	8 58		15 19		
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Weehawken	10 15	11 00	10 30		7 05	9 11	
New York W. 42d St.	10 30	11 15	10 40		7 10	11 15	
N. Y. Franklin St	10 45	11 30	10 55		7 25	11 30	
	P M	P M	A M		P M	P M	

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday.

† Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers.

n Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.

‡ Stop for meals.

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Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9 40 and 11 30 a. m., 3 30 and 6 45 p. m.

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 7 00 and 10 50 a. m., 3 1 and 5 50 p. m.

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 20 and *11 00 a. m., *4 0 p. m.

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 7 00 a. m., *2 45 and 5 50 p. m. Sunday only 9 15 a. m.

Trains leave Sidney for New Berlin 10 00 a. m., *2 45 and 8 4 p. m. Leave New Berlin for Sidney 7 40 and *10 02 a. m., and 2 0 p. m.

For further particulars see local card.

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NORTH.

	Daily a m	Daily, ex Su p m	Su p m
New York	8 30	....	4 1
Jersey City	8 46	....	4 1
Hackensack	9 14	....	4 5
Paterson	9 29	....	5 0
Franklin	11 09	5 50	5 4
Hamburg	11 17	6 00	6 5
Dickerson	11 6	6 18	7 01
Unionville	11 41	6 46	7 1
Westtown	11 47	6 50	7 2
Johnson	11 52	6 03	7 2
State Hill	11 57	5 11	7 3
Middletown	12 07	5 25	7 4

SOUTH.

	Daily, ex Sun p m	Daily a m
Middletown	6 30	9 02
State Hill	6 42	8 9
Johnson	6 48	8 27
Westtown	6 53	8 36
Unionville	6 9	9 00
Dickerson	7 14	9 50
Hamburg	7 22	10 06
Franklin	7 29	10 18
Paterson	9 03	11 58
Hackensack	9 16	12 07
Jersey City	9 32	12 29
New York	9 53	12 43

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Crawford Branch.

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No.	Leave for	James St. Sta.	Main St. Sta.
"101	Pine Bush Mail	11 30 a m	11 35 a m
"115	" "		8 55 "
Sundays only		11 05 a m	12 50 p m

COMING SOUTH.

"123	Arrive from Pine Bush	8 15 a m	8 20 a m
"130	" " "	5 50 p m	5 55 p m

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TIME TABLE ADOPTED FEB. 9TH, 1896.

Eastern Time, Leave	617	625	603	3	7	29	25	15	27	5	33	11	9	1	21	17	12	26	10	20	14	22	8	2	30	6	16	28	38	4	18
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"THE QUIXOTIC QUAKERS."

A Pleasing Entertainment at the First Presbyterian Church.

The lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church was crowded, last evening, the occasion being an entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, the affair being in charge of the committees for May, June and July.

The first number was a selection by the Ladies' Mandolin Club, a new organization, that surprised those who heard its excellent music for the first time, last evening. The members of the club are Misses Mae Rockafellow, Mamie Benjamin, Catherine Harris, Helen Park, Mary Davis, Bertha Morgans, Mabel L. Hayes.

The next was a song by Mrs. C. H. Sweezy, entitled "He was a prince," Then followed a piano solo by Mrs. A. W. Sweezy and then the Mandolin Club delighted the audience with another selection.

The Quixotic Quakers rounded out the programme. They were eight ladies and two gentlemen all dressed in the garb of Friends and were interesting to look at if they hadn't said a word, but their singing was excellent and delighted the audience.

Although Quakers are supposed to know nothing of love from the modern standpoint, this was in reality a drama of love, courtship and marriage all told in song. There were eight maidens in search of some one to love, and there being but two men, six are searching yet.

The Quakers were Misses Nellie Shafer, Sarah Grover, Martha Gordon, Claribel Gardner, Carrie Little, Pearl Corwin, Jeannette Beakes, Bertha Morgans, Philip Whitlock and Brewster Beattie.

The three committees in charge were Mrs. A. W. Sweezy, Chairman—Mrs. G. A. Swalm, Jr., Mrs. C. H. Sweezy, Miss Jeannette Beakes, Miss Mae Rockafellow.

Mrs. L. S. Stivers, Chairman—Miss Mame Van Duzer, Mrs. Archibald Taylor, Miss Viola Lee Shaw, Mrs. T. D. Mills.

Mrs. J. V. Demorest, Chairman—Mrs. H. S. Conklin, Miss Laura Wickham.

SOME PRIZE ANSWERS.

Given at a School Examination Not Far From Newburgh.

From the Newburgh Register.

A Newburgh gentleman, while visiting the old homestead a few miles out of the city, called, one morning, at the little district school which he attended when a boy. The teacher received him courteously, and, it being examination day, invited the Newburgher to ask a few questions in Geography. The gentleman after some thought propounded three. The answers to the questions were to be written, and when each pupil had finished, the slates were gathered up, and the visitor helped to look over the answers. The three questions asked were: What is the climate of North America? What are the staple products of the United States? Locate Mexico? Some of the queries were wonderfully and fearfully answered, but the prize winners were. "The climate of the United States is poor and difficult (difficult) to cultivate." "The staple products of North America is Cranes, Negros, Whitie, Japan, Indians," and "Mexco is north of this group."

MIDWAY PARK NOTES.

Sacred Concerts To-morrow—Last Cake Walk—Old Fashioned Fourth of July—Arranging for Excursions.

—Sacred concerts by the 24th Separate Company Band, at Midway Park, to-morrow afternoon and evening at 3 and 8 o'clock.

—To-night is the last night of the Georgia Minstrels at Midway Park. The grandest cake walk will conclude their entertainment.

—An old fashioned Fourth of July celebration, with tub races, greased pole climbing, greased pig race and other amusements, with fireworks in the evening, is projected by the Park management.

—William H. Cox, of the roller coaster, has been in New York and neighboring cities, this week, endeavoring to arrange with societies for excursions to the park.

—The trained dogs will be at the park all next week.

The Three A's at Port Jervis.

The Three A's Base Ball Club went to Port Jervis, this morning, to play a match game with the local team at that place. The team was made up as follows: Miller, c; Carroll, p; Gibbs, 1b; Mergnal, 2b; Bradley, 3b; E. Wengenroth, ss; S. J. Devore, l f; Crist, c f; Dougherty, r f. Mabie, sub.

Sheriff's Sale Adjourned.

The Sheriff's sale of the Hollycrook Stock Farm, which was to have been held today, has been adjourned until Monday, June 22d, at 10 p. m.

Don't think that your liver needs treating if you are bilious. It don't. It's your stomach. That is, your stomach is to fly what causes the biliousness. It's put your liver out of order.

See what's the matter with your stomach.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The Standing Committees for 1896 Announced by Chairman Goodsell.

Chairman Louis F. Goodsell, who was elected Chairman of the Board of Supervisors at the meeting for organization, which was recently held, has announced the following standing committees for the year:

On Equalization and Ratio—Fredericks, Chester; Moshier, Newburgh; Board, Blooming Grove; Tuthill, Minisink; Iseman, Middletown; Loomis, Mount Hope; Jones, Greenville.

On Public Buildings—Wilson, Newburgh; Wells, Goshen; Tuthill, Minisink.

On Military Organizations and Armories—Moshier, Newburgh; Iseman, Middletown; Ketcham, Cornwall.

On Laws and Enactments—Loughran, Montgomery; Patterson, Woodbury; Ketcham, Cornwall.

On County Clerk's Accounts—Lawson, Newburgh; Board, Blooming Grove; Roberson, Crawford.

On Sheriffs' and Jailors' Accounts—Thompson, Wallkill; Harrison, Newburgh; Bradley, Wawayanda.

On Superintendents of Poor Accounts—Patterson, Woodbury; Brazee, Middletown; Brooks, Tuxedo; Wells, Goshen; Smith, Warwick.

On Surrogate's and District Attorney's Accounts — Board, Washingtonville; Wood, Middletown; Loomis, Mount Hope.

On Finance and Treasurer's Accounts—Boyd, Middletown; Lawson, Newburgh; Quick, Deerpark; Post, Newburgh; Roberson, Crawford.

On Coroners' Accounts, District No. 1—Wells, Goshen; Taylor, Newburgh; Harrison, Newburgh; Rake, Monroe; McKissock, Newburgh.

On Coroners' Accounts, District No. 2—Brooks, Tuxedo; Howell, Hamptonburgh; Brazee, Middletown; Wilson, Newburgh; Debenham, New Windsor.

On Justices' Bills—Wood, Middletown; Loughran, Montgomery; Thompson, Wallkill; Taylor, Newburgh; Ketcham, Cornwall.

On Constables' Bills—Taylor, Newburgh; Howell, Hamptonburgh; Quick, Deerpark; Rake, Monroe; Bradley, Wawayanda.

Recorders', Police Justices' and Penitentiary Accounts — Loomis, Mount Hope; Harrison, Newburgh; McKissock, Newburgh.

On Insane, Mutes' and Idiots' Accounts—Post, Newburgh; Lawson, Newburgh; Smith, Warwick.

Deceased Soldiers', Sailors' and Marines' Accounts—Quick, Deerpark; Moshier, Newburgh; Smith, Warwick.

On Printers' Bills—Brazee, Middletown; Brooks, Tuxedo; Debenham, New Windsor.

On United States Deposit Fund—Howell, Hamptonburgh; Wilson, Newburgh; Tuthill, Minisink.

On Miscellaneous Accounts—Iseman, Middletown; Thompson, Wallkill.

On Vouchers for Fox Bounties—Rake, Monroe; Jones, Greenville.

On Rules—Goodsell, Highlands; Boyd, Middletown; Fredericks, Chester; Loughran, Montgomery; Roberson, Crawford.

THE COST OF MURDER TRIALS.

The Heavy Burdens Put on Sullivan County by Its Lawbreakers.

From the Monticello Watchman.

Estimating the cost of the proceedings against George Brethauer for murder in the first degree and James McCombs as closely as possible and aided by such documents and records as we have had access to it is found that these two men have cost the county $5,473. This sum includes the cost of their arrest, incarceration in jail, coroners' inquests, indictment by the grand jury, jurors' fees, witness fees, map and photograph of the scene of the McComb tragedy, fees of counsel for assisting the District Attorney.

Punishing crime and efforts made to punish it have cost Sullivan county more during the past nine years than any other expense provided for by taxation.

Wedding Invitations Out.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Purdy have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughters Carrie Lamart, to Mr. George Krum Wilkin, Wednesday, June 24th, at 7 o'clock, at the residence, No. 10 Little avenue. Mr. Wilkin was manager of the Postal Telegraph Company, in this city, and is now located at Asbury Park.

A Runaway Horse Badly Cut.

A horse belonging to Bull & Youngblood, took fright at a passing trolley car, on Academy avenue, this morning, and ran away while the driver, Webb Waring, was delivering goods. The animal broke loose from the wagon, and was badly cut upon the fore legs. It will be laid up for some time.

Sent to the House of Refuge.

John Spells and Charles Giblin, aged respectively of ten and twelve years, were sent to the House of Refuge, yesterday, on complaint of their parents who found them incorrigible, playing truant day after day to steal rides on Erie trains.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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THREE WAGONS IN COLLISION.

One of Them Smashed And a Quantity of Milk Spilled.

Three wagons met in collision on Moulagen avenue, this morning, and the one owned and driven by Garrett Kirby was demolished and a quantity of milk in cans was spilled. The occupants of the other wagons, who were racing and were responsible for the mishap, will settle for the damage done to Mr. Kirby's wagon and for the loss of the milk. Mr. Kirby is a brother of William Kirby who was killed at the Harding street crossing last week.

Universalist Church Sociable.

About seventy-five persons attended the sociable of the Universalist Church at the residence of Dr. E. Faucher, on Orchard street, last evening.

An interesting programme was rendered. Mr. David Eilenberger sang a bass solo, Mr. Durell, of New York, a tenor solo, Miss Lena Lewis a soprano solo; Dr. Pillsbury gave a recitation in his inimitable manner and the Misses Marvin played a piano duet.

Refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was spent in a social way.

Buried Under a Church.

The recent meeting of the Bible Society in the Blooming Grove Church called attention to the fact that beneath it are the graves of three pastors of the church, Rev. Enos Aryes, who died in 1762, Rev. Samuel Parkhurst and Rev. Benoni Bradner, who died in 1804. The graves are in the basement, and that of Mr. Bradner is marked by an old-fashioned headstone. In old times it was quite common to bury ministers under church edifices.

One Lucky—Nine Unlucky Fishermen.

There were ten fishermen on the banks of the Wallkill a day or two ago. One man had all the luck, catching forty fish during his stay, while his companions secured none at all, and this in spite of the fact that when the lucky man caught a fish, his companions would throw in their lines near him and, as he would move and make a catch, follow him up. They would like to have the secret.

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WANTED—A farmer on 250-acre dairy farm, 40 cows; good wages to the right party. Address S. S. CHILDS, 45 Cortlandt street, New York city. 1t

SULLIVAN County Spring Lamb to-day at GREENING BROS'. 61d2t

FINE Blackwalnut extension table, opens to 10 feet; two-burner oil stove, and a new Excelsior No. 2 lawn mower in good order, all cheap at the EXCHANGE AND MART CO., No. 46 East Main street.

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PIPES! PIPES! PIPES!

A fine line of pipes just received at the Electric Cigar Store, where we make a specialty in Pipes and Canes. Come early and get your choice Meerschaum Pipe from 50c to $6; Briar Pipes from 10c to $5. Don't forget the place, Electric Cigar Store, No. 12 North street, Middletown. 42d&wtfMy20 N. D. MILLS, Prop.

VEAL 8 cents and up, Chops 12½ to 14 cents, Cutlets 16 cents, Best Roasts 10 to 12½ cents. 1t GREENING BROS.

FOR SALE—Road House on the Old Plank Road, between Middletown and Goshen, in good repair and well furnished. Will be sold on easy terms. Address MRS. E. F. COLES, Forest Hotel, New Hampton, N. Y. 1t

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SOMETHING New in Toilet Paper, "Divided Roll." Very best quality paper, guaranteed 1000 sheets, Yale, 2 for 25c, at Postoffice Pharmacy. J. J. CHAMBERS, Prop.

NOTICE to Builder—Proposals for an addition to the Laundry Building at the Middletown State Homeopathic Hospital will be received up to noon on June 16th, 1896. Plans may be seen and specifications obtained at the office of the Hospital. 55d9t H. J. LEONARD, Steward.

PAINTING, Paper Hanging, Decorating—CHAS. J. KIDD, JR., 79 Academy avenue, is prepared to do work in the above lines, in the best style and at reasonable rates. An experience of several years in New York City enables him to guarantee first class work. 77dtf

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THE Members of Middletown Lodge, No. 112, I. O. O. F., Luther Lodge, No. 380, and all visiting brothers are requested to meet at the lodge rooms on Sunday, June 14th, at 2 p. m., to march from thence to Hillside Cemetery, where memorial services will be held. The graves of deceased brothers will be strewn with flowers in the morning by a committee for that purpose. White Gloves will be worn.

By order of the Lodge.

61d2t J. M. HANFORD, Rec. Sec.

NOTICE to water consumers. On Sunday next, June 14th, the water will be blown from the mains between the hours of 9 a. m. and 6 p. m., during which time the pressure will be greatly reduced. Therefore it will be necessary for water consumers to draw their supply early in the morning. 61d2t I. F. VAN DUZER, Supt.

A SOCIAL Party of the Middletown Mandolin Club will be held at Mechanic Park, Thursday evening, June 18th. Admission 25 cents per couple. If stormy will be held at Mechanic Hall. d10.12.15

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